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ANNUAL REPORT

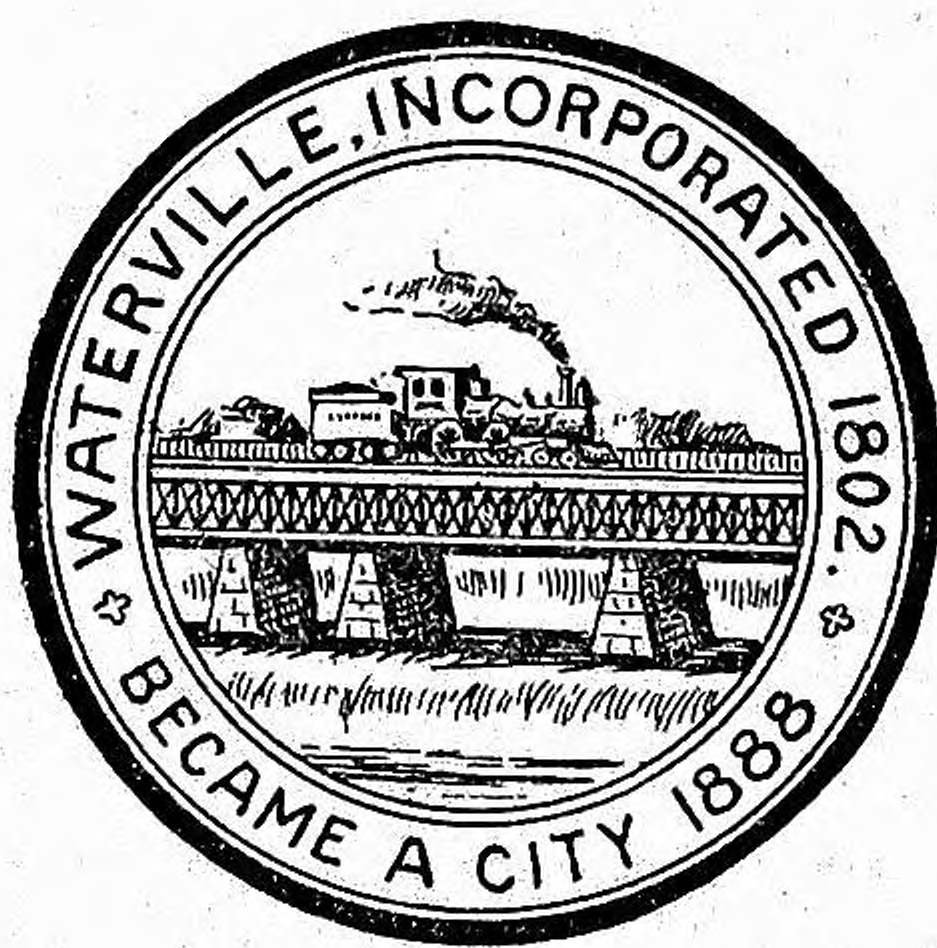
OF THE

CITY OF WATERVILLE,

FOR THE

MUNICIPAL YEAR,

1900-1901.



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CITY GOVERNMENT

OF THE

CITY OF WATERVILLE, MAINE,

FOR THE YEAR 1900-1901.

Mayor, WARREN C. PHILBROOK.

ALDERMEN.

George F. Davies, Chairman. Ward 1, Fred D. Lunt; Ward 2, Chester F. Rowe; Ward 3, C. F. Keith; Ward 4, George F. Davies; Ward 5, George L. Learned; Ward 6, Joel L. Foster; Ward 7, Gedeon Picher. F. E. Brown, City Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

H. B. Snell, President. Ward 1, Charles Kelsey, Howard I. Libby; Ward 2, Edward L. Hall, Henry Butler; Ward 3, H. C. Prince; H. B. Snell; Ward 4, Horace Perkins, Llewellyn Morrill; Ward 5, Geo. E. Hallowell, E. D. Noyes; Ward 6, James M. Greaney, George B. Jackson; Ward 7, O. J. Peilletier, Napoleon Loubier. Walter E. Noble, Clerk.

Joint Standing Committees.

On Accounts—Mayor Philbrook; Aldermen Learned and Picher; Councilmen Perkins, Morrill and Prince.

On Bells and Clocks—Aldermen Foster and Picher; Councilmen Hallowell, Hall and Loubier.

On Claims—Mayor Philbrook; Aldermen Davies and Foster; Councilmen Pelletier, Greaney and Snell.

On Finance—Aldermen Learned and Rowe; Councilmen Perkins, Libby and Jackson.

On Fire Department—Aldermen Davies and Learned; Councilmen Prince, Snell and Noyes.

On New Streets—Alderman Keith and Rowe; Councilmen Kelsey, Hallowell and Pelletier.

On Rules and Ordinances—Mayor Philbrook; Aldermen Keith and Rowe; Councilmen Snell, Butler and Libby.

On Street Lights—Mayor Philbrook; Aldermen Foster and Picher; Councilmen Libby, Jackson and Noyes.

On New Sidewalks—Aldermen Lunt and Foster; Councilmen Kelsey, Perkins and Butler.

On Printing—Aldermen Davies and Keith; Councilmen Hallowell, Greaney, Loubier.

On Parks—Aldermen Davies and Lunt; Councilmen Morrill, Hall and Noyes.

On Public Buildings—Aldermen Keith and Lunt; Councilmen Snell, Jackson and Butler.

On Streets—Mayor Philbrook; Aldermen Lunt and Learned; Councilmen Prince, Hallowell and Morrill.

Standing Committees.

ON THE PART OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

On Pensions—Aldermen Lunt and Rowe.

On Police—Mayor Philbrook ; Aldermen Keith and Davies.

On Licenses—Aldermen Davies and Foster.

On Sanitary—Aldermen Foster and Picher.

On Liquor Agency—Mayor Philbrook ; Aldermen Lunt and Learned.

CITY OFFICERS.

Collector and Treasurer,	F. A. Knauff
Assessors,	H. C. Morse, J. F. Elden, Nathaniel Meader
Physician,	L. G. Bunker
Solicitor,	D. P. Foster
Auditor,	H. D. Bates
Superintendent of Schools,	E. T. Wyman
Street Commissioner,	S. A. Green
Chief Engineer Fire Department,	A. H. Plaisted
First Assistant Engineer,	H. M. Fuller
Second Assistant Engineer,	W. H. Ronco
Truant Officers,	C. B. Davis, G. H. Simpson, J. F. Woodbury
City Marshal,	Chas. B. Davis
Deputy Marshal,	Geo. H. Simpson
Superintendent of Burials,	Frank Redington
Undertakers,	Frank Redington, C. A. Redington, F. D. Nudd, J. H. Groder, J. E. Pooler, C. F. Ayer, H. B. Snell.
Milk Inspector,	A. Joly
Board of Education,	Harvey D. Eaton, Chairman ; E. T. Wyman, Secretary ; W. I. Towne, S. L. Berry, Reuben W. Dunn, Horace Purinton, Geo. Balentine, Harvey D. Eaton, A. B. Reny.
Cemetery Committee,	W. B. Arnold, F. Redington, H. B. Snell
Board of Health,	A. Joly, L. G. Bunker, J. F. Elden

The Mayor's Address.

Gentlemen of the City Council:—

During the next twelve months our City will write the thirteenth volume of its history, and upon its pages will be engraved, as a lasting record for our credit or otherwise, the acts of commission and omission for which we are responsible. This fact alone should make us thoughtful. But when we further reflect upon the frankness with which the average American citizen expresses his opinions as to the conduct of affairs by public servants, and the promptness with which he acts upon convictions arising from those opinions, we, who are solicitous to make that record a proud one, and commendable by reason of its worth, will do well to carefully study the past as a safe guide to the future.

It would be little short of an insult to the intelligent study of the policies of previous administrations which I know you have all made, for me to attempt to specify wherein the success of one or the failures of another might be found. And I only commend to you the language of the Apostle: "Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report,—if there be any virtue and if there be any praise, think on these things."

DEPARTMENTS.

While I am convinced that the various departments of the city have been as well handled during the past year as ever before, and are at present in as good condition, at least, as they

have ever been, yet I shall not trespass upon your patience by rehearsing facts regarding them which most of you already know, and all may ascertain by an examination of the Annual Reports; nor shall I attempt to extol the excellence or defend the mistakes—if there be any—which may have existed in the last or previous years. We are looking forward today, and the future rather than the past claims our interest. I shall, however, make a few recommendations before I close, and therefore reserve the right in that way, but not otherwise, to refer to some of the departments.

FINANCES.

The condition of the finances of any municipality is a question of paramount importance to its citizens and one about which too much cannot be said in the way of explanation and information to those who must furnish the means by which the expenses and charges of the municipality are to be met.

We start with the valuation of the city, or in other words, its taxable property, for upon that source we must rely for revenue. Our valuation during the last year in real estate was \$4,018,975, and in personal property \$883,792, making a total of \$4,902,767; that of the previous year in real estate was \$4,033,725, and in personal property \$879,140, making a total of \$4,912,865. By these figures, it would appear that the Assessors found \$14,750, less of real estate upon which to levy a tax in 1899 than they did in 1898.

I confess that an explanation of this fact does not readily present itself to my mind. No great conflagration arose between those two periods to sweep away buildings or tenements; there was no decline in the price of real estate that I am aware of. There must, of course, have been sufficient reasons presented to the minds of the Assessors for this reduction of valuations; but it may well be suspected that the citizen who most loudly demands reduced valuation on his real estate, would not shade his price when a *bona fide* purchaser appeared to him.

The report of your Building Inspector shows buildings erected and repaired during the last year, not including those buildings erected to replace others destroyed by fire, or repairs to the Methodist Episcopal Church property, amounting in value to nearly \$40,000. The real estate agencies all agree that the price of real estate is advancing; so that we confidently hope for an increase of valuation in real estate this year rather than the opposite.

If the money on deposit in our national banks and trust company, together with certain other values which I will not stop to enumerate, could all bear their proper burden of taxation, we might also expect that we should have a much lighter tax rate for the coming year, even with the same expenses to meet as in former years. There are those much better informed than myself who say that it is well-nigh impossible to reach all the taxable property. But you have the right to demand of your Assessors impartial and indefatigable efforts in that direction, for upon the results of their labors depends, in no small measure, the financial condition of the municipality.

The bonded debt of the city is in the same condition this year as last, so far as the amount outstanding is concerned; but \$10,000 worth of bonds, bearing 4 per cent. interest, which came due last September, were replaced by a refunding loan of like amount, which bears 3 1-2 per cent. These were sold at a premium, so that the actual interest to be paid will be less than 3 1-2 per cent.

The floating debt of the city, as represented by its interest bearing notes, was decreased, between Feb. 1, 1899, and Feb. 1, 1900, by the sum of \$7,700, leaving \$20,000 of liabilities of that nature outstanding at the end of the last fiscal year, but with all other floating liabilities paid, so far as known. Those notes were given from time to time in anticipation of taxes which have since been levied, or in renewal of such notes; so that the uncollected taxes—now amounting to \$29,779.35—should be applied to the payment of those notes as fast as collection may be made, and should not be used in any way toward the expenses of the

year to which we are looking forward. In other words, we should decide just how much we will appropriate for the expenditures this year; assess taxes accordingly, and then keep strictly within the appropriations. We should incur no liabilities for this year which cannot be paid out of this year's taxes. This policy, if strictly adhered to for a year or so, will wipe out our floating debt entirely and put us in condition to begin to pay our bonded debt with greater ease.

The rate of taxation last year was 23 1-2 mills; but as you all know, the appropriations for the year were greatly increased by the sum of \$10,000 assessed for the railroad subscription, and \$7,500 assessed to pay small pox bills. The effect upon the tax rate of these two appropriations may be more easily understood by assuming that our valuation for the year was \$5,000,000 (a little more than the actual valuation); so that every \$10,000 worth of assessments meant 2 mills on the tax rate. Taking out 2 mills for the railroad and 1 3-4 mills for the small pox bills, it may readily be seen that the other expenses were met by a tax rate of less than two cents on the dollar. I had almost said that the ordinary expenses were paid at this rate, but I am reminded that there were some expenses which were more than ordinary; so that, in truth, the ordinary expenses were met by a still lower rate of taxation.

Some of the extraordinary expenses are to be found in the Miscellaneous Account, where it will appear that a little over \$3,300 was paid to M. C. Foster & Son on account of the old city hall matter; and land damages on Main street, occasioned by the raising of the street in a former administration, were paid, amounting to over \$1,300.00. Several large items also in the Street Account are unusual and are included in what might be properly called extraordinary charges.

Basing the expenditures of this year upon the rate of ordinary charges incurred during the year last past, it is plain to be seen that the tax rate may be materially lowered. I believe this should be done, so that the somewhat heavy burden borne by our city last year may not be laid upon it in the next twelve months.

In order to make as great a reduction in the tax rate as might be desired, it becomes necessary for all citizens to cooperate with the City Council in keeping the expenditures in each department as low as possible. Our people little realize how inconsistent they are when, in the same breath, they insist upon additional hydrants, extended sidewalks, new sewers, new streets, paving, and additional electric lights, and also insist that the tax rate should be kept down to the minimum.

It has been necessary, during the last year, oftentimes to say to citizens who have asked for some of the improvements above enumerated, that we had not the money with which to pay for those improvements; and for the most part, I am gratified to report that the situation was understood and no complaints made at the denial of their requests.

I am of the opinion that our city has not seriously suffered nor any considerable number of its citizens been greatly incommoded by failing to supply all the demands for improvements which have been made. Can we not pass through another year with strict attention to economy and with care that no improvements should be made except where they are actually needed? If so, the tax-payers will have their burden materially lessened. If, on the other hand, without regard to expense, our citizens demand improvements and importune so frequently that resolution may be weakened, the result may be that those requests will be granted by a City Council which might desire to gratify for the moment, and the result be overdrafts in every department where economy was expected at the first.

Urging, in behalf of all, a patient consideration of public improvements for the next year, I will pass to what I regard as some absolutely necessary things, or, at least, very desirable, and class them under the head of

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Under this head, it is much easier to enumerate what the city needs than to confine one's self strictly to what may be termed

proper recommendations under the circumstances in which we find ourselves placed. We need a new city hall, a new high school building, a new central fire station, a new police station extensive sewer additions, paving, electric lights, hydrants, and sidewalks. But these cannot all be consistently recommended at this time.

In the Poor Department I can only recommend the re-employment of Mr. Knauff as Clerk to the Board of Overseers of the Poor. What he has done since he has been in office is so thoroughly shown by his reports, which have been examined by you all, that the mere mention of this recommendation is sufficient.

In the Department of Street Lights, with which, by reason of the services needed of an electrical expert, have been included also the care of the fire alarm wires and the police signal, I think much might be said. At present, we have altogether too many electric wires for the safety, convenience, and beauty of our city. But while, perhaps, the number may not be successfully reduced, yet the arrangement of them can be greatly improved upon. Two Electric Light Companies, two Telegraph Companies, a Telephone Company, the Fire Alarm System and the Police Signal System compete with each other, having apparently no system whatever, in the placing of electric wires. The result is disastrous in many instances. Repeatedly has our fire alarm system been thrown out of order and other damages done by this indiscriminate and unmethodical way of arranging electric wires.

I earnestly recommend, therefore, that early in your consideration of public matters you devise some plan whereby a competent man or competent men may be employed to thoroughly rearrange the system of wiring in the city, and then enact such ordinances or regulations as shall require regularity and safety in the future arrangement of all electrical appliances.

I am of the opinion that it would be better to place the care of the Gamewell system and the auxiliary fire alarm under the complete control of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department,

so that the man whom he employs will feel a need of responding promptly to his orders at any and all times.

For the same reason, I recommend that the care of the Police Signal be placed in the hands of the Chief of Police, feeling sure that if these last two changes are made, there will not only be better service but some financial economy will result.

Our street lights, for the most part, are far from being up-to-date, and are giving unsatisfactory service. There should be practically an utter abandonment of the arc lights now in use, and in their place the enclosed arcs should be used and placed upon the alternating circuit. I am told that the expense of caring for enclosed arcs upon an alternating circuit would be so much less than the care of the present arc lamps, that the saving would amount to a very handsome percentage on the expenditure necessary to make the change, and at the same time much better service than we now have would be obtained.

When the Committee upon Street Lights shall have been appointed, I earnestly hope that they will give thoughtful attention to this subject, and see if some of the present difficulties cannot be remedied.

In the Police Department, I recommend that a change be made in the hours of the patrolmen, so that the upper portion of the city may be covered by an officer during the first half of the night at least. I am told by those who have investigated the subject, that there is great need of an officer in that end of the city between the hours of six and twelve P. M., and I am further told that such need is much greater than the need of two officers on Main street during the entire night. The Committee on Police will have this subject under advisement, and I trust, with the aid of the City Marshal, will be able to devise means whereby the present system may be improved without materially adding to the expense of the Department.

In the Street Department, I recommend a thorough repairing of that part of Water street which lies in front of the Lockwood boarding-houses, so called. Both street and sidewalk at that point are in exceedingly bad condition, and are at once a men-

ace and a disgrace during much of the year. Ditching and surfacing are much needed on Silver street, Front street, and that part of the Fairfield road which lies just south of the Fairfield line. By this enumeration I do not mean to exclude certain other lesser parts of the city streets which need care; but these present themselves to my mind as being first in importance, so far as ordinary repairs are concerned.

The thing most desirable in the Street Department, according to my judgment, is the paving of Main street from Silver street to the Bay View Hotel. This can be done without great expense. I find upon the examination of an engineer, that it would require 986 square yards of paving, and at the prices paid for the last paving job done in this city, it can be done for less than \$1.50 per square yard. The Railroad Company pays for the paving of that part of the street which lies between the rails; so that the total expense will be lessened somewhat. The fact that all the rest of Main street is now in good repair, and the further fact that there is so much driving over the part of Main street which I have indicated, would seem to be sufficient argument why that job should be attended to this year without fail.

The iron work of the bridge leading to Winslow sadly needs attention. If our appropriations last year had warranted it, I should have recommended painting and tightening of that bridge. By the action of the elements the surface of the iron has now become so much exposed to dampness, that it is rapidly rusting and weakening in its structural strength. It is folly to make improvements and then not care for them, and here is a piece of public property in the way of an improvement which absolutely demands care at your hands during the coming year.

Several places about the city need an extension of the sewer system. And while upon this branch of the subject, I wish to call your attention to the condition of what is known as Hayden Brook. Two threatening aspects present themselves in regard to this stream. First, sudden rains cause such a rapid rise in the brook as to threaten property along its banks; and some further provision should be made for the safe carrying off of the

water which might accumulate in a disastrous storm. Second, it is used to a great extent, as an outlet for sewers, and by reason of that fact is becoming a menace to the health and comfort of those of our citizens who live in its vicinity. The proper disposition of the problem: How to take care of Hayden Brook? is one which will require grave thought and, ultimately, the expenditure of large sums of money. But if an intelligent survey of the situation can be made, and a plan proposed which will be extensive enough to take care of all of the difficulties which might arise, it would then be comparatively easy for us to begin upon those expenditures and complete them from time to time, as the various appropriations would warrant. The consideration, therefore, of this problem also I earnestly recommend to your most thoughtful care.

The proper care of the cannons on Monument Park has come down to us as a legacy from the former administration. I recommend that a Committee be appointed at the earliest possible date to attend to mounting them, and that especial effort be made to have the work completed before Memorial Day.

Another ten thousand dollars' worth of 4 per cent. bonds will fall due in September. I recommend that they be replaced, if possible, by a refunding issue of 3 1-2 bonds, as was done last year.

Finally, I recommend that we provide some suitable place for the proper storing of valuable papers and books pertaining to the city's business. The records of the laying out of highways, of births, deaths, marriages—all of which become important in many ways, the record of the doings of the City Councils, and other records too numerous to mention, are today scattered about the city, and none of them are in a place at all protected from fire. I am told that storage room can be obtained in the vault of the City Trust Company at a nominal rental, where can be placed the most important of these records, and thus insure them from danger by fire. I recommend, therefore, that a Committee of the City Council, or of such other persons as they may

select, take under consideration this subject, and if it seem wise, procure a suitable depository for the city records.

There are many other recommendations which I would like to make at this time, but I fear I have already wearied your patience, and as we proceed with the year's business they may be properly made, if necessary.

And now let us gather up our best energies, our noblest purposes, our soundest judgments, and lay them on the altar of service to the city. Let it be no meaningless thing to have been chosen to the various positions which we hold. Let not partisanship, indifference, or private plans interfere with the discharge of our duties; but let us strive in all that may come before us to see who may best work and best agree in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the city.

W. C. PHILBROOK, *Mayor*.

Auditor's Report.

To the Mayor and City Council of Waterville:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending Jan. 31, 1901.

BALANCE SHEET.

LIABILITIES.

Bonds,	\$230,000 00	
Interest Bearing Notes,	20,000 00	
Coupons unpaid,	2,253 00	
High School, undrawn balance,	162 63	
Wiscasset R. R., undrawn balance,	8,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$260,415 63

ASSETS.

Cash in hands of Treasurer,	\$ 9,127 72
Uncollected Taxes,	27,180 49
Tax Titles, property sold for taxes,	
Deeds held by City,	293 99
Stock, etc., Liquor Agency,	2,275 60
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	\$38,877 80

Balance, being net debt of City,	221,537 83	\$260,414 63
Debt February 1, 1900,		225,013 72
Debt February 1, 1901,		221,537 83
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Decrease,		\$ 3,475 89

DETAILED STATEMENT OF BONDS AND INTEREST BEARING NOTES OUTSTANDING FEB. 1, 1901.

SEWER LOAN OF 1889, FOUR PER CENT.

Due July 1, 1901, \$ 50,000 00

FUNDING BONDS OF 1890, FOUR PER CENT.

Due Sept. 1, 1901,	\$10,000 00	
“ “ 1902,	10,000 00	
“ “ 1903,	10,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 30,000 00

FUNDING BONDS OF 1892, FOUR PER CENT.

Due Feb. 1, 1904,	\$10,000 00	
“ “ 1905,	10,000 00	
“ “ 1906,	10,000 00	
“ “ 1907,	10,000 00	
“ “ 1908,	10,000 00	
“ “ 1909,	10,000 00	
“ “ 1910,	10,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 70,000 00

FUNDING BONDS OF 1894, FOUR PER CENT.

Due Dec. 1, 1909, \$ 25,000 00

FUNDING BOND OF 1897, FOUR PER CENT.

Due July 1, 1927, \$ 35,000 00

FUNDING BONDS OF 1899, THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT.

Due Sept. 1, 1924, \$ 10,000 00
(Sold at 106 and Interest.)

FUNDING BONDS OF 1900, THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT.

Due Sept. 1, 1925, \$ 10,000 00
(Sold at 106.26 and Interest.)

\$230,000 00

INTEREST BEARING NOTES.

No. 178.	Waterville Savings Bank,	\$ 5,000 00	
179.	Mrs. O. P. Bunker,	3,000 00	
180.	Erastus Warren,	1,500 00	
183.	Mrs. Aroline E. Hall,	1,000 00	
184.	Annie L. Hall,	500 00	
186.	W. B. Arnold, Tr. Cem. Com.,	5,000 00	
187.	Mrs. F. A. Waldron,	3,000 00	
188.	Mrs. Sarah J. Scribner,	1,000 00	
		<hr/>	\$ 20,000 00

All bearing interest at four per cent.

STATEMENT SHOWING CREDITS AND PAYMENTS ON
EACH ACCOUNT DURING THE YEAR.

BONDED DEBT.

Bonded debt,	\$220,000 00	
Bonds due Sept. 1, 1900,	10,000 00	
Issued Sept. 1, 1900,	10,000 00	
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		\$240,000 00
Bonds paid Sept. 1, 1900,		10,000 00
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Now Outstanding,		\$230,000 00

BELLS AND CLOCKS.

Appropriation,		\$ 75 00
Warrants,	\$68 75	
Credits Miscellaneous Appropriation,	6 25	
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		75 00

COUPONS.

Unpaid Feb. 1, 1900,	\$ 3,778 00	
Appropriation,	9,325 00	
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		\$ 13,103 00
Warrants,	10,850 00	
Balance unpaid coupons,	253 00	
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		13,103 00

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Balance Feb. 1, 1900,	\$ 349 08	
Appropriation,	15,000 00	
State Treas. Mill Tax,	7,632 43	
Other Sources,	42 17	
Transferred from Miscellaneous Acct.,	138 21	
	<u> </u>	\$ 23,161 89
Warrants,		23,161 89

CURRENT EXPENSES.

Appropriations,	\$6,000 00	
Transferred from Miscellaneous Acc't,	351 47	
	<u> </u>	\$ 6,351 47
Warrants,		6,351 47

CITY HALL.

Rents,	\$ 540 50	
Transferred from Miscellaneous,	52 55	
	<u> </u>	\$ 593 05
Warrants,		593 05

COUNTY TAX.

Appropriation,	\$6,324 24
Warrants,	6,324 24

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$5,750 00	
Other sources,	2 50	
Transferred from Miscellaneous,	235 31	
	<u> </u>	\$ 5,987 81

FREE LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	\$ 500 00
Warrants,	500 00

HIGH SCHOOL.

Appropriation,	\$ 5,250 00	
State Treasurer,	250 00	
Tuition,	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,503 00
Warrants,	\$5,340 37	
Balance undrawn,	162 63	
	<hr/>	5,503 00

INTEREST.

Appropriation,		\$ 1,500 00
Warrant,	1,046 11	
Transferred to Miscellaneous,	453 89	
	<hr/>	1,500 00

INTEREST BEARING NOTES.

Outstanding Feb. 1, 1900,	\$20,000 00	
Issued during year,	44,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 64,000 00
Warrants,	44,000 00	
Outstanding,	20,000 00	
	<hr/>	64,000 00

LIQUOR AGENCY.

Sales during year,	\$2,696 49	
Furnished Poor Department,	8 60	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,705 09
Warrants,		3,066 16
Profit on year's business,	\$ 43 94	

MISCELLANEOUS.

Appropriation,	\$10,000 00	
Overlayings,	2,293 95	
Other sources,	5,714 99	
	<hr/>	\$18,008 94
Balances of sundry appropriations,	3,945 11	
	<hr/>	\$ 21,954 05

Warrants,	\$ 12,865 44	
Abatements charged,	1,774 61	
Balances of sundry overdrawn accounts,	4,071 42	
Balance credited City of Waterville account,	3,242 58	
	<u> </u>	\$ 21,954 05

MAINE WATER COMPANY.

Appropriation,	\$2,400 00	
Transferred from Miscellaneous,	98 75	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2,498 75
Warrants,		2,498 75

NEW STREETS.

Appropriation,		\$ 500 00
Warrants,	\$ 29 62	
Transferred to Miscellaneous,	470 38	
	<u> </u>	500 00

NEW SIDEWALKS.

Appropriation,		\$ 1,500 00
Warrants,	\$790 99	
Transferred to Miscellaneous,	709 01	
	<u> </u>	1,500 00

PAVING.

Appropriation,		\$ 1,200 00
Transferred to Streets account,		1,200 00

POLICE.

Appropriation,	\$4,000 00	
Other sources,	9 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 4,009 00
Warrants,	\$3,995 19	
Transferred to Miscellaneous,	13 81	
	<u> </u>	4,009 00

PRINTING.

Appropriation,		\$	350 00
Warrants,	\$317 53		
Transferred to Miscellaneous,	32 47		
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PARK.

Appropriation,	\$150 00		
Transferred from Miscellaneous,	4 50		
	<hr/>	\$	154 50
Warrants,			154 50

SEWERS.

Appropriation,	\$2,000 00		
Permits,	290 44		
	<hr/>	\$	2,290 44
Warrants,	1,162 61		
Transferred to Miscellaneous,	1,127 83		
	<hr/>		2,290 44

STREET DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$11,000 00		
Other sources,	159 80		
Transferred from paving,	1,200 00		
Transferred from Ticonic bridge,	347 69		
Transferred from Miscellaneous,	2,682 91		
	<hr/>	\$	15,390 40
Warrants,			15,390 40

STREET LIGHTS.

Appropriation,	\$4,500 00		
Other Sources,	25 80		
Transferred from Miscellaneous,	373 25		
	<hr/>	\$	4,899 05
Warrants,			4,899 05

STATE TAX.

Appropriation,	\$ 15,482 76
Warrants,	15,482 76

SMALL POX.

Transferred from Miscellaneous,	\$ 134 47
Warrants,	134 47

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Appropriation,	\$ 8,000 00	
Other Sources,	1,185 51	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,185 51
Warrants,	\$ 8,045 44	
Liquor from Agency,	8 60	
Transferred to Miscellaneous,	1,131 47	
	<hr/>	9,185 51

TICONIC BRIDGE.

Appropriation,		\$	600	00
Warrants,	\$	357	67	
Transferred to Streets,		242	33	
		<hr/>		600 00

W. S. HEATH POST, G. A. R.

Appropriation,	\$ 100 00
Warrant,	100 00

WISCASSET RAILROAD.

Balance Feb. 1, 1900,	\$ 8,000 00
Balance Feb. 1, 1901,	8,000 00

Warrants drawn for the regular ap- propriation accounts,	\$126,448 11
Warrants drawn for Liquor Agency appropriation,	3,066 16
Warrants Bond appropriation,	10,000 00
Warrants Int. Bearing Notes,	44,000 00
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Total Warrants,	\$183,514 27

Warrants, Appropriation account,	\$126,448 11	
Abatements charged Misc. account,	1,774 61	
Liquor charged Support of Poor,	8 60	
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Total Warrants and charges,		\$128,231 32
Total Balances, Assessments, and Credits, 1900,	\$141,889 53	
Warrants and charges,	128,231 32	
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Balance being excess of undrawn over overdrawn balances,		13,658 21

Following is a statement of the appropriations :

Balances undrawn,		
Bells and clocks,	\$ 6 25	
Coupons,	2,253 00	
High School,	162 63	
Interest,	453 89	
Miscellaneous,	3,368 89	
New Streets,	470 38	
New Sidewalks,	709 01	
Police,	13 81	
Printing,	32 47	
Sewer,	1,127 83	
Support of Poor,	1,131 47	
Wiscasset R. R.,	8,000 00	
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Total balances undrawn,		17,729 63

Accounts overdrawn :

Common Schools,	\$ 138 21
Current Expenses,	351 47
City Hall,	52 55
Fire Department,	235 31
Maine Water Company,	98 75
Park,	4 50
Street,	2,682 91

Street Lights,	\$	373	25
Small Pox,		134	47

	\$	4,071	42
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Balance, excess,		13,658	21	\$	17,729	63
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In making a comparison for the year the coupon account representing coupons outstanding unpaid and the Wiscasset R. R. appropriation brought over from last year should be deducted from above excess,

	13,658	21
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Coupon appropriation,	\$2,253	00
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Wiscasset R. R.,	8,000	00
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	10,253	00
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Net difference,	\$3,405	21
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FLOATING DEBT OF THE CITY.

Interest Bearing Notes,	\$20,000	00
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Coupons unpaid,	2,253	00
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Wiscasset R. R.,	8,000	00
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Total Floating Debt,	\$	30,253	00
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AVAILABLE ASSETS.

Cash in hands of Treas.,	\$9,056	47
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Uncollected Taxes, 1894,	199	97
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“ “ 1898,	60	26
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“ “ 1899,	2,236	92
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“ “ 1900,	24,683	34
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Total Available Assets,	\$	36,236	96
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Excess Assets over Floating debt,		6,083	96
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Excess Assets over Floating debt last year,		3,045	78
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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

I certify that I have examined the books and accounts of F. A. Knauff, Treasurer, and find the same correct and that he has cash on hand as per my report. I have examined the accounts of F. A. Knauff, Collector, for the years 1897, 1898, 1899 and 1900 and find the same correct. I have examined the report and securities of the Cemetery Committee and find same correct. I certify that I destroyed, in the presence of the Mayor and Treasurer on Feb. 18, 1901, the following bonds and coupons, the same having been paid by the Treasurer during the year:

BONDS.

10 Funding Loan Bonds of 1890, Nos. 21 to 30,	\$10,000 00
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COUPONS.

From Sewer Bonds,	3,000 00
From Funding Bonds,	7,850 00
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	\$10,850 00

H. D. BATES, *Auditor.*

Collector's Report.

Waterville, February 1, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen:—Your Collector of Taxes respectfully submits the following statements for the years 1900, 1899, 1898, 1897:

1900 tax.	Dr.	
To taxes on Real Estate, \$4,084,075		
at 21 1-2 mills,		\$87,807 61
To Taxes on Personal Estate, \$877,737		
at 21 1-2 mills,		18,871 34
To 2374 Poll-taxes at \$3.00,		7,122 00
To Supplemental Taxes,		130 86
To Interest collected since Oct. 1, 1900,		179 38
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		\$114,111 19

Cr.

By Cash paid to Treasurer,	\$88,567 92	
By Abatements,	859 93	89,427 85
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Balance uncollected for 1900,		\$ 24,683 34

Dr.

To Balance uncollected as per report of 1900,	\$27,426 16	
To Supplemental Taxes,	58 51	
To Interest collected since Feb. 1, 1900,	872 34	
	<hr/>	\$ 28,357 01

28

Cr.

By Cash paid to Treasurer,	\$25,337 11	
By Abatements,	710 13	
By Tax-deeds,	72 85	\$ 26,120 09
Balance uncollected for 1899,		2,236 92

1898 tax.

Dr.

To Balance uncollected as per report of 1900,	\$1,946 18	
To Interest collected since Feb. 1, 1900,	203 23	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,149 41

Cr.

By Cash paid to Treasurer,	\$1,918 70	
By Abatements,	170 45	2,089 15
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Balance uncollected for 1898,		\$ 60 26

1897 tax.

Dr.

To Balance uncollected as per report of 1900,	\$ 207 04	
To Interest collected since Feb. 1, 1900,	47 22	
	<hr/>	\$ 254 26

Cr.

By Cash paid to Treasurer,	\$ 220 16	
By Abatements,	34 10	\$ 254 26

Respectfully submitted,

F. A. KNAUFF, *Collector of Taxes.*

Correct: H. D. BATES, Auditor.

Treasurer's Report.

Waterville, February 11, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to submit my report as City Treasurer for the financial year 1900, ending January 31, 1901.

Yours respectfully,

F. A. KNAUFF, *City Treasurer.*

1900.

RECEIPTS.

Feb. 1, To balance from 1899,		\$ 5,044 43
Rec'd Acc't Tax Coll. for 1897,	\$ 220 16	
“ “ “ “ “ 1898,	1,918 70	
“ “ “ “ “ 1899,	25,337 11	
“ “ “ “ “ 1900,	88,567 92	
	<hr/>	116,043 89

CITY HALL.

Rec'd of S. H. Chase,		
Acc't of Hall rent,	\$ 540 50	\$ 540 50

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Feb. 12, Rec'd of Mrs. Hancock, tuition,	\$ 2 00
Feb. 19, “ “ Town of Winslow,	24 00
Mar. 6, “ “ C. M. Rice,	1 67
Apr. 9, “ “ W. B. Arnold,	4 50
Sep. 11, “ “ Angie M. Glidden, tuition,	5 60
Dec. 31, “ “ State Treasurer, School,	
Fund and Mill Tax,	7,632 43

1901.

Jan. 3, Rec'd of Angie M. Glidden, tuition, \$4 40		
	<u> </u>	\$ 7,674 60

COURT COSTS.

1900-1901.

Apr.-Jan. Rec'd from F. K. Shaw, Judge, \$178 82		
" " County Treasurer, 520 66		
	<u> </u>	\$ 699 48

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Nov. 19, Error in Roll 198,	\$ 2 50	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2 50

HIGH SCHOOL.

Oct. 4, Rec'd from Ginn & Co.,	\$ 3 00	
Nov. 17, " " State Treasurer,	250 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 253 00

INTEREST BEARING NOTES.

Mar. 3, Rec'd of Waterville Savings		
Bank, Note 175,	\$5,000 00	
Mar. 3, Rec'd of Merchants National		
Bank, Note 176,	3,000 00	
Apr. 5, Rec'd of People's National		
Bank, Note 177,	2,500 00	
Apr. 5, Rec'd of Waterville Savings		
Bank, Note 178,	5,000 00	
Apr. 5, Rec'd of Olive P. Bunker,		
Note 179,	3,000 00	
Apr. 9, Rec'd of Erastus Warren,		
Note 180,	1,500 00	
May 3, Rec'd of People's National		
Bank, Note 181,	2,500 00	

June 7,	Rec'd of Waterville Savings		
	Bank, Note 182,	\$	5,000 00
July 2,	Rec'd of Mrs. Aroline E.		
	Hall, Note 183,		1,000 00
July 2,	Rec'd of Miss Annie L. Hall,		
	Note 184,		500 00
July 5,	Rec'd of Waterville Savings		
	Bank, Note 185,		6,000 00
Aug. 4,	Rec'd of W. B. Arnold, Tr.		
	Cem. Com. Note 186,		5,000 00
Aug. 31,	Rec'd of Mrs. F. A. Waldron,		
	Note 187,		3,000 00
Aug. 31,	Rec'd of Mrs. Sarah J.		
	Scribner, Note 188,		1,000 00
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			\$ 44,000 00

LICENSES.

Apr. 5,	W. W. Edwards, aucti'r license,	\$	2 00
Apr. 17,	E. N. Strange, carriage license,		5 00
May 1,	Archie W. Taylor, carriage license,		5 00
May 1,	Geo. C. Taylor,	" "	5 00
May 1,	Geo. S. Thing,	" "	5 00
May 1,	Jesse A. Whitcomb,	" "	5 00
May 1,	E. N. Strange,	" "	5 00
May 11,	Frank E. Drake,	" "	5 00
May 11,	H. E. Judkins,	" "	5 00
May 30,	C. C. Tibbetts,	" "	5 00
May 30,	N. J. Norris,	" "	5 00
May 30,	Frank E. Brown, dog license,		60 00
June 7,	T. F. Carleton, billiard license,		10 00
June 11,	Miller & Buzzell, lunch cart,		20 00
June 13,	C. H. Simpson, billiard license,		10 00
June 13,	Clarence Cote,	" "	10 00
June 13,	Joseph Cariveau,	" "	10 00

June 13, John Daviau, billiard license,	\$ 10 00	
June 13, Chas. H: Butler, " "	10 00	
June 13, H. E. Judkins, " "	10 00	
June 23, H. C. Miller, carriage license,	5 00	
July 16, Sockalexis Co., No. 5, license,	3 00	
July 19, Sockalexis Co., No. 5, license,	3 00	
July 20, Gentry Dog & Pony Show, license,	1 00	
Sep. 21, Frank E. Brown, dog license,	140 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 354 00
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		\$174,612 40

LIQUOR AGENCY.

J. D. Hayden, Agent, account		
liquor sales,	\$2,696 49	
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MISCELLANEOUS.

Mar. 14, Waterville Savings Bank, account D. H. Leavitt, tax deed, 1898,	\$ 28 15
May 7, W. D. Spaulding, error in bill,	1 25
City Treasurer, error Roll 191,	5 18
Aug. 1, Sumner Rowe, account tax deeds 1896-97-98,	133 12
Aug. 2, A. G. Bowie, account of College ave. school house,	1,200 00
Aug. 20, Geo. W. Bushey, tax deed 1895	13 85
Aug. 20, City Treasurer, error in roll,	29 27
Aug. 31, Sale of refunding bonds,	10,000 00
Premium on same,	626 00
Oct. 25, Melvin H. Wood, account Cordelia Wood's tax deed 1898,	9 76

Dec. 3,	Henry Goodwin, account		
	Mrs. Luke Brown's tax		
	decd 1899,	\$ 65 27	
1901.			
Jan. 1,	State Treasurer, dog licenses		
	refund,	165 46	
	State Treasurer, R. R. and		
	Tel. tax,	1,158 63	
	Adjutant General, armory		
	rent,	100 00	
Feb. 9,	New England Tel. & Tel.		
	Co., pole rent,	21 25	
		<hr/>	\$13,557 19

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

July 5,	Colby College,	\$ 9.00	
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SEWERS.

Apr. 11,	M. Frye,	permit,	\$ 5 00
Apr. 19,	Frank Breshau,	"	5 00
Apr. 23,	J. G. Darrah,	"	5 00
Apr. 24,	C. Fremont Rowe,	"	5 00
Apr. 27,	Frank B. Towne,	"	5 00
May 3,	Henry Cyr,	"	5 00
May 23,	James E. Chalmers,	"	5 00
May 28,	Alden Bros.,	"	5 00
May 29,	John J. Marshall,	"	5 00
June 16,	Waterville Savings Banks,	"	5 00
	James H. Murray,	"	5 00
June 22,	Mrs. Annie W. Darrah,	"	5 00
June 26,	Geo. Phillips,	"	5 00
July 21,	Geo. B. White,	"	5 00
July 23,	G. C. Corthell,	"	5 00
July 25,	John J. Lintern,	"	5 00

	Chas. F. Lowe,	permit,	\$ 5 00
	Mrs. G. H. Gotlander,	"	5 00
July 27,	Mrs. Annie W. Darrah,	"	5 00
	Appleton Webb,	"	5 00
July 28,	Yates & Whitney,	"	5 00
Aug. 2,	James M. Greaney,	"	5 00
Aug. 3,	Silvio Pagannucci,	"	5 00
Aug. 14,	Walter I. Lapham,	"	5 00
Aug. 18,	Sawyer Publishing Co.,	"	5 00
Aug. 22,	Dana P. Foster,	"	5 00
Aug. 24,	Fred H. Towne,	"	5 00
Sep. 15,	Frank M. Wheeler,	"	5 00
Sep. 20,	Mrs. Alfred Roundy,	"	5 00
Oct. 2,	Mrs. Lillian C. Libby,	"	5 00
Oct. 4,	Levi Butler,	"	5 00
Oct. 18,	J. L. Fortier, 3 permits,		15 00
Oct. 22,	Peter Fortier,	permit,	5 00
Oct. 22,	Cyrille Ferland,	"	5 00
Nov. 1,	H. C. Morse,	"	5 00
Nov. 15,	Mrs. Bessie M. Healey,	"	5 00
Nov. 16,	Colby College,	"	5 00
Nov. 16,	Chas. S. Hersum,	"	5 00
Nov. 16,	Mrs. A. S. Wentworth,	"	5 00
Nov. 20,	G. F. Terry,	"	5 00
Nov. 28,	Henry Clair,	"	5 00
July. 6,	Geo. Phillips,	"	5 28
Nov. 8,	Waterville & Fairfield R. & L. Co.,		65 83
Dec. 13,	S. A. Green, Commissioner,		2 30
1901.			
Jan. 1,	John J. Marshall,		2 03

\$ 290 44

STREETS.

Apr. 5.	W. Vose, refund,	\$ 6 00
Apr. 5,	R. Page, refund,	12 00
Apr. 5,	F. W. Morrill,	8 40

July 12, W. & F. R. & L. Co.,	\$ 84 15	
Aug. 9, S. A. Green,	1 35	
Aug. 31, Frank B. Towne,	1 50	
Nov. 9, A. L. Rose,	25	
Nov. 9, Waterville & Fairfield R. & L. Co.,	31 15	
1901.		
Jan. 31, L. H. Soper,	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 159 80

STREET LIGHTS.

Aug. Helios-Upton Co., discount,	\$ 23 84	
May 7, Nat'l Carbon Co., refund on fr't,	1 96	
	<hr/>	\$ 25 80

TICONIC BRIDGE.

Dec. 28, Town of Winslow,	\$105 36	
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SUPPORT OF POOR.

Received from C. Knauff:

Mar. 19, Acc't Town of Benton,	\$ 21 50
Apr. 20, " Sam Reed,	5 50
Apr. 24, " City of Lewiston,	3 95
May 3, " Town of Sidney,	75 13
May 12, " City of Augusta,	10 00
" Levi Cayouette,	100 00
May 25, " Town of Monson,	225 56
July 3, " Town of Windsor,	19 00
July 28, " Emma E. Allen,	41 26
Aug. 28, " Town of Oakland,	101 75
Aug. 31, " City of Portland,	332 92
Sep. 5, " John Vigue,	3 00
Oct. 23, " Town of Medford,	2 00
Oct. 27, " Town of China,	3 00
Nov. 9, " David Vigue, for Mrs.	
Chas. Lacombe,	90 00

Nov. 17, Acc't Fred A. Foss,	\$ 7 80	
Nov. 22, " Town of Vassalboro,	41 00	
Dec. 20, " City of Augusta,	10 00	
" State of Maine,	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,098 37
Rec'd of Geo. S. Richardson,		
Acc't of Peter King's support,	87 14	87 14
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Total receipts,		\$192,641 99

CONTRA CR.

Mayor's warrants,		
No. 3088 to 3295,	\$183,514 27	
Cash on hand,	\$1,245 90	
Cash dep. People's N. Bank,	7,220 03	
Cash dep. Trust Co.,	466 75	
Cash dep. Ticonic N. Bank,	1,540 00	
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	\$10,472 68	
Less unpaid on Rolls,	1,344 96	
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	9,127 72	192,641 99
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F. A. KNAUFF, *Treasurer.*Correct: H. D. BATES, *Auditor.*

Overseers of Poor and Almshouse.

Waterville, January 31, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Waterville:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my fifth annual report as Clerk of the Overseers of the Poor, for the fiscal year commencing Feb. 1, 1900, and ending January 31, 1901.

ALMSHOUSE.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Freemont Rowe have continued as master and matron for the year, and their general management of its affairs has been as satisfactory as their two previous years. The number of inmates at the beginning of the year was nineteen, admitted ten, discharged nine, and three have died, Marshall King, Lydia Hasty, and Mrs. Charles Lacombe, present number seventeen.

The nationality of inmates is:

Irish,	one.
French,	fifteen.
Negro,	one.

INSANE.

There are only three patients at Maine Insane Hospital. Amount paid to Hospital, \$479.98. Of this amount \$87.14 has been paid by guardian. Cost of patients to City, \$392.84.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

Receipts.

Appropriation,	\$8,000 000	
From other towns and cities,	1,098 37	
Support of patients at Insane Hospital,	87 14	
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Expenditures.

Monthly expenditures at Almshouse:

Feb.,	\$118 64	Aug.,	\$ 76 42
Mar.,	159 37	Sept.,	98 08
Apr.,	145 40	Oct.,	254 46
May,	115 76	Nov.,	104 88
June,	95 65	Dec.,	139 20
July,	72 42	Jan.,	96 75
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			\$1,477 03

Monthly expenditures Outside Poor and Insane:

Feb.,	\$666 91	Aug.,	\$611 60
Mar.,	864 97	Sept.,	428 58
Apr.,	605 36	Oct.,	418 46
May,	556 69	Nov.,	453 92
June,	594 88	Dec.,	402 39
July,	367 42	Jan.,	597 23
	<u> </u>		<u> </u>
			\$6,568 41
			\$8,045 44

Balance undrawn,	\$1,140 07
Cost of department for the year,	\$6,859 93

C. KNAUFF, Clerk.

ALMSHOUSE.

Feb.	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	\$ 38 30
	E. M. Jepson, groceries and meat,	12 48
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., feed,	14 40
	P. P. Herbst, 16 lbs. tobacco at 28 1-2c.,	4 56
	Samuel King, 162 cakes ice at 10c.,	16 20
	G. S. Dolloff, 2 pairs pants,	1 96
	Percy Loud & Sons, 1 pair shoes,	1 25
	G. E. Barrows & Co., 22 lbs. salt cod,	1 32
	W. B. Arnold & Co., toilet paper, etc.,	4 10
	Augustus Otten, 2 bbls. flour,	8 95

	Joseph Perry, cutting and hauling 5 1-2 cords wood,	\$ 12 37
	N. E. Telephone and Telegraph Co.,	2 75
Mar.	John Dusty, cutting and hauling 5 cords wood,	11 25
	John Lashus, " " " " " "	11 25
	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	39 08
	P. P. Herbst, 16 lbs. tobacco at 28 1-2c,	4 56
	George S. Clark, 5940 lbs. hay at \$14.00 a ton,	41 78
	A. F. Merrill, feed,	14 35
	W. B. Arnold & Co., 1 stove brick and grate,	3 50
	J. A. Davidson, shoeing,	60
	J. G. Darrah, sundries,	1 02
	L. H. Soper & Co., dry goods,	3 61
	G. E. Barrows & Co., fish,	1 84
	Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. flour,	4 50
	Whitcomb & Cannon, groceries and meats,	17 15
	G. S. Flood & Co., 250 lbs. hay,	2 13
	N. E. Telephone and Telegraph Co.,	2 75
Apr.	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	39 60
	W. A. Gleason, difference on cows,	35 00
	N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.,	2 75
	G. E. Barrows & Co., 25 1-2 lbs. cod,	1 56
	Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. flour,	4 50
	A. Joly, prof. services,	7 00
	C. E. Matthews, 40 lbs. tea at 30c,	12 00
	W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	1 28
	Maine Water Co., to May 1, 1900,	10 00
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., feed,	9 50
	W. A. Gleason, 20 bu. potatoes,	10 00
	H. C. Haskell, groceries and meat,	12 21
May	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and 2 pigs,	43 60
	Adelarde Halde, labor with team,	3 15
	Percy Loud & Sons, 1 pair shoes,	1 50
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., feed and seeds,	3 63
	G. E. Barrows & Co., 25 lbs. cod,	1 50

A. F. Merrill, feed,	\$ 9 75
J. A. Davison, shoeing,	1 30
Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. flour, 1 bbl. crackers,	6 85
C. E. Matthews, groceries and meat,	14 76
H. T. Winters, lumber,	5 35
P. H. Herbst, 16 lbs. tobacco at 28 1-2c,	4 56
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.,	2 75
Walter Judkins, 128 qts. milk at 5c.,	6 40
W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	10 66
June. C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	40 43
E. M. Jepson, groceries and meat,	9 31
J. G. Darrah, sundries,	1 25
Adelarde Halde, 2 1-2 days labor,	8 75
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph, Co.,	2 75
H. A. Bacon, 10 bu. potatoes,	4 00
Percy Loud & Sons, 1 pair shoes,	1 25
G. E. Barrows & Co., 25 lbs. Cod,	1 53
W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	1 90
Geo. L. Learned & Co., repairs,	53
Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. flour,	5 00
L. Morrill & Co., feed,	7 65
J. A. Davison, horse shoeing,	1 30
Maine Water Co., to Aug. 1, 1900,	10 00
July. C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	39 60
P. P. Herbst, 13 lbs. tobacco at 25c.,	3 25
Whitcomb & Cannon, groceries and meat,	9 70
W. M. Lincoln & Co., feed,	6 88
Augustus Otten, 2 bbls. flour,	10 00
G. E. Barrows & Co., 1 1-2 bu. potatoes,	60
W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	94
J. A. Davison, shoeing,	1 45
Aug. C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	39 25
Geo. Tracy, 3 1-2 bu. potatoes,	88
A. F. Merrill, feed,	9 80
J. A. Davison, shoeing,	1 30

	L. H. Soper & Co., dry goods,	\$ 9 50
	W. B. Arnold & Co., washers,	10
	Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. flour,	5 00
	Percy Loud & Sons, 2 pairs shoes,	2 25
	G. E. Barrows & Co., fish,	99
	H. C. Haskell, groceries and meat,	7 80
Sept.	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	39 18
	P. P. Herbst, 13 lbs. tobacco,	4 12
	Frank Chase, 10 gal. vinegar,	2 00
	L. Morrill, feed,	10 27
	W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	2 30
	J. A. Davison, shoeing,	1 75
	Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. flour,	5 00
	G. E. Barrows & Co., 15 lbs. cod,	90
	C. E. Matthews, groceries and meat,	17 06
	H. R. Dunham, underwear,	2 00
	George L. Learned & Co., repairs,	2 15
	Hanson, Webber & Dunham, kettle,	1 35
	Maine Water Co., to Nov. 1, 1900,	10 00
Oct.	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	40 48
	Standard Oil Co., 55 gals. oil,	5 23
	F. J. Goodridge, cleaning clock,	1 00
	P. P. Herbst, 13 lbs. tobacco,	4 12
	George L. Learned & Co., repairs,	4 29
	G. E. Barrows & Co., 18 lbs. cod,	1 08
	Perham S. Heald, 1 pair pants,	2 00
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., feed,	14 02
	J. A. Davison, shoeing,	1 30
	Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. crackers,	2 55
	W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	98
	G. S. Flood & Co., 24 tons coal,	150 00
	E. M. Jepson, groceries and meat,	13 91
	H. B. Snell, coffin, hearse, grave, etc.,	13 50
Nov.	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	40 83
	Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. flour,	5 25

	G. E. Barrows & Co., fish,	\$ 1 02
	E. Gilpatrick, lumber,	5 14
	J. A. Davison, shoeing,	1 75
	Whitcomb & Cannon, groceries and meat,	16 62
	Wardwell Bros., dry goods,	2 85
	W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	74
	A. F. Merrill, feed,	13 81
	Auburn Brush & Mop Co., 3 brushes,	3 75
	Thomas Rankins, 1880 lbs. hay,	13 12
Dec.	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	39 83
	Frye B. Davis, 3550 lbs., hay,	28 40
	H. C. Haskell, groceries and meat,	10 06
	W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	3 95
	G. E. Barrows & Co., fish,	1 48
	Augustus Otten, 2 bbls. flour,	9 50
	J. G. Darrah, sundries,	1 95
	J. A. Davison, shoeing,	1 05
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., feed,	14 03
	Percy Loud & Sons, 3 pairs shoes,	3 69
	J. F. Elden, sleigh robe, blanket,	8 00
{	P. P. Herbst, 13 lbs. tobacco,	4 12
0	Maine Water Co., to Feb. 1, 1901,	10 00
£	H. L. Emery, dry goods,	3 14
Jan.	C. Freemont Rowe, salary and sundries,	39 57
80	G. E. Barrows & Co., fish,	1 08
00	Augustus Otten, 1 bbl. flour,	5 00
£0	Wardwell Bros., dry goods,	3 58
08	W. B. Arnold & Co., hardware,	2 65
££	H. C. Morse, feed,	12 89
80	C. E. Matthews, groceries and meat,	14 90
00	W. P. Putman, 16 lbs. tobacco at 25c,	4 00
10	David Gallert, dry goods,	6 98
0£	J. Peavy & Bros., clothing,	6 10
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OUTSIDE POOR.

Feb.	Fred B. Perry, 1 month's board,	\$ 4 00
	Louis Boullette " "	4 00
	Emma J. Stilson, cash support,	7 00
	Mrs. Jacob H. Wing, " "	6 00
	Charles Pooler, " "	4 00
	C. Knauff, salary, R. R. and sundries,	82 99
	Mamie Marshall, 1 weeks nursing,	2 00
	Chas. P. Crommett, 20 cords wood,	75 00
	Joseph Perry, cutting and hauling wood,	65 25
	Cora F. Page, 2 cords hard wood,	10 00
	John Lashus, cutting 60 cords wood,	60 00
	John Dusty, " 50 " "	50 00
	Joseph Giroux, hauling 55 loads wood,	22 00
	The Ursulines, board for February,	16 00
	Philip H. Plaisted, sundries,	19 00
	L. G. Bunker, salary and dressing,	22 67
	Belliveau Bros., provisions,	33 00
	Marquis & Marshall, "	20 00
	Libby & Matthieu, "	8 00
	Landry & Boshan, "	23 00
	E. M. Jepson, "	4 00
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., "	8 00
	C. E. Matthews, "	12 00
	Jules Gamache, "	10 00
	E. L. Gove, "	16 00
	Gideon Maheu, "	22 00
	W. G. Oby, "	34 00
	O. J. Pelletier, "	15 00
	Geo. A. Daviau & Co., "	12 00
Mar.	John Dusty, hauling wood,	64 75
	John Lashus, hauling wood,	70 50
	Maine Insane Hospital,	137 03
	C. Knauff, salary and sundries,	77 86
	L. G. Bunker, salary,	16 66

Fred B. Perry, board for March,	\$ 4 00
Clara Cote, board for February and March,	8 00
Louis Boullette, board for March,	4 00
Chas. Pooler, cash support,	4 00
Mrs. Jacob H. Wing, cash support,	6 00
Emma J. Stilson, cash support,	7 50
John S. Pressey, board and nursing,	16 75
D. P. Buck, surveying wood,	3 50
S. A. & A. B. Green, 6 1-4 cords wood,	34 88
The Ursulines, board for March,	16 00
Cora F. Page, 1 cord hard wood,	5 00
Chas. King, house rent,	9 00
Samuel B. Trafton, use of land,	5 00
Mrs. Eunice Willett, 26 days nursing,	26 00
H. B. Snell, coffin, robe and hearse,	12 50
Gedeon Picher, 4 mos. house rent,	16 00
Catholic Cemetery, digging grave,	1 00
Mary Washburn, 21 1-2 days nursing,	21 50
J. H. Goddard, board,	37 18
Grondin & Poulin, casket,	7 00
J. H. Grondin, bedding,	4 00
E. L. Gove, provisions,	16 00
Landry & Boshan, "	21 90
Chas. Pomerleau, "	6 00
Whitcomb & Cannon, "	6 86
W. M. Lincoln & Co., "	8 00
Gideon Maheu, "	14 00
O. J. Pelletier, "	13 00
H. C. Haskell, "	17 45
Jules Gamache, "	6 00
Marquis & Marshall, "	18 00
Libby & Matthieu, "	8 00
Willie G. Oby, "	27 00
C. E. Matthews, "	18 00
Philip H. Plaisted, sundries,	18 95
Joseph Giroux, hauling 28 cords wood,	11 20

	George A. Daviau & Co., provisions,	\$ 8 00
	Belliveau Bros., provisions,	31 00
Apr.	Christopher Willett, 3 months rent,	10 50
	Sarah Hebert, 3 " "	10 50
	W. T. Haines, 3 " "	7 50
	William Levine, 3 " "	15 00
	F. W. Clair, 3 " "	15 00
	Fred B. Perry, board for April,	4 00
	Louis Boullette, " " "	4 00
	Charles Pooler, cash support,	4 00
	Mrs. Jacob H. Wing, cash support,	6 00
	Emma J. Stilson, " "	7 00
	Mrs. A. Loon, care of 2 children,	5 00
	L. G. Bunker, salary and sundries,	18 66
	Philip H. Plaisted, sundries,	12 00
	H. B. Snell, ambulance to Sidney,	5 00
	Mrs. S. Reed, board and nursing,	25 00
	Bert E. Pease, sawing 100 cords wood,	45 00
	Vede Cary, 4 days labor splitting wood,	4 00
	Archie Clair, 3 days labor splitting wood,	3 00
	John Lubier, 6 days labor, splitting wood,	6 00
	Augustus Roux, Jr., 3 1-2 days splitting wood,	3 50
	Thomas Libby, 3 " " "	3 00
	Frank Libby, 5 " " "	5 00
	William Lubier, 2 1-2 " " "	2 50
	Augustus Roux, 5 " " "	5 00
	Paul Murray, 1 cord wood,	3 50
	Mary Washburn, 11 days nursing,	11 00
	Mrs. John S. Pressey, board and nursing,	8 00
	W. M. Dunn, 500 stamped envelopes,	10 60
	The Ursulines, board for April,	16 00
	C. Knauff, salary for April,	75 00
	Landry & Boshan, provisions,	18 00
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., "	4 00
	E. L. Gove, "	14 00
	Belliveau Bros., "	25 00

E. M. Jepson,	provisions,	\$ 12 00
Libby & Matthieu,	"	8 00
Gideon Maheu,	"	8 00
O. J. Pelletier,	"	17 00
W. G. Oby,	"	44 50
C. E. Matthews,	"	18 00
H. C. Haskell,	"	10 60
Arthur Daviau,	"	8 00
Marquis & Marshall,	"	14 00
S. A. & A. B. Green,	15 loads wood,	39 00
H. B. Snell,	casket and box,	15 00
May. C. Knauff,	salary and travelling expense,	86 84
Mrs. A. Loon,	care of 2 children,	5 00
Chas. Pooler,	cash support,	4 00
Mrs. Jacob H. Wing,	cash support,	\$10 00
Emma J. Stilson,	" "	7 00
Clara Cote,	2 months board,	8 00
Louis Boullette,	board for May,	4 00
Fred B. Perry,	" " "	4 00
The Ursulines,	" " "	16 00
Philip H. Plaisted,	sundries,	2 15
S. A. & A. B. Green,	10 loads wood,	22 25
Dana P. Foster,	cost Monson,	23 92
Mrs. Frank Williams,	nursing,	17 00
William Levine,	dry goods,	3 50
Redington & Co.,	coffin and hearse,	10 00
Grondin & Poulin,	" 2 robes,	19 00
Cora F. Page,	1 load wood,	2 75
L. G. Bunker,	salary and other towns,	49 67
G. S. Flood & Co.,	3-4 ton coal,	5 43
Mary E. Salisbury,	2 days nursing,	2 00
Mrs. M. Prescott,	5 " "	5 00
M. S. Goodrich,	town of Monson,	50 00
H. C. Haskell,	provisions,	16 57
Whitcomb & Cannon,	"	9 03
W. G. Oby,	"	37 50

L. S. Marquis,	provisions,	\$ 12 25
E. M. Jepson,	"	8 00
Gideon Maheu,	"	8 00
Arthur Daviau,	"	11 00
W. M. Lincoln & Co.,	"	4 00
E. L. Gove,	"	8 00
O. J. Pelletier,	"	16 00
C. E. Matthews,	"	28 83
J. S. Light,	"	6 00
Libby & Matthieu,	"	18 00
Landry & Boshan,	"	16 00
June. Maine Insane Hospital,		115 95
J. C. Morrill, 5 months board,		40 00
Catholic Cemetery, digging grave,		1 00
Elvira Gould, 19 days nursing,		19 00
The Ursulines, board for June,		8 00
Mrs. Major Butler, 2 weeks nursing,		6 00
S. A. & A. B. Green, 2 1-2 cords wood,		11 00
Etiam Grenier, 8 days labor,		8 00
Charles Preo, 7 3-4 days labor,		7 75
Louis Butler, 7 3-4	" "	7 75
Joseph Bow, 1 1-2	" "	1 50
Levi King, 5	" "	5 00
Joseph Lubier, 7 3-4	" "	7 75
Peter Dusty, 3 days, 2 hours labor,		3 20
C. Knauff, salary and R. R. ticket,		81 35
Mrs. A. Loon, care of 2 children,		5 00
Fred B. Perry, board for June,		4 00
Louis Boullette,	" " "	4 00
Charles Pooler,	cash support,	4 00
Emma J. Stilson,	" "	7 00
Mrs. Jacob H. Wing,	" "	10 00
Mrs. M. Prescott, 15 days nursing,		15 00
L. G. Bunker, salary and sundries,		26 67
G. S. Flood & Co., coal and kindling,		4 12
A. J. Alden, 1 month house rent,		4 00

L. S. Marquis,	provisions,	\$ 11 85
Whitcomb & Cannon,	"	15 49
Landry & Boshan,	"	22 50
W. G. Oby,	"	32 00
Belliveau Bros.,	"	30 00
O. J. Pelletier,	"	12 00
Jules Gamache,	"	9 00
John Lacombe,	"	11 00
Gideon Maheu,	"	8 00
Libby & Matthieu,	"	16 00
E. L. Gove,	"	8 00
W. M. Lincoln & Co.,	"	12 00
July. C. Knauff, salary and sundries,		76 04
L. G. Bunker, salary,		16 66
Mrs. A. Loon, care of 2 children,		5 00
Louis Boulette, board for July,		4 00
Fred B. Perry, " " "		4 00
Clara Cote, board for June and July,		8 00
William Levine, 3 mos. house rent,		15 00
Fred W. Clair, " " "		15 00
Sarah Hebert, " " "		10 50
Mrs. Belle G. Tufts, 5 mos. house rent,		15 00
Chas. Pooler, cash support,		4 00
Mrs. Jacob H. Wing, " "		10 00
Emma J. Stilson, " "		7 00
Redington & Co., 1 coffin,		7 00
Catholic Corporation, ticket to Canada,		5 00
M. C. R. R., 2 1-2 tickets to St. John,		13 75
Gideon Maheu, provisions,		12 00
Libby & Matthieu, "		14 00
Landry & Boshan, "		16 00
C. E. Matthews, "		16 47
E. L. Gove, "		8 00
W. G. Oby, "		15 00
O. J. Pelletier, "		12 00

Arthur Daviau, provisions,	\$ 6 00
Belliveau Bros., “	15 00
W. M. Lincoln & Co., “	8 00
L. S. Marquis, “	10 00
Jules Gamache, “	12 00
Mrs. John Gilbert, 3 days nursing,	3 00
A. J. Alden, 1 mo. house rent,	4 00
Aug. M. S. Goodrich, town of Oakland,	44 50
M. K. Dwinell, city of Portland,	61 95
L. G. Bunker, “ “	83 00
F. C. Thayer, “ “	56 00
Geo. E. Wheeler, “ “	4 31
Waterville Steam Laundry,	11 00
S. A. & A. B. Green, 2 3-4 cords wood,	12 38
A. J. Alden, house rent,	4 00
L. G. Bunker, salary,	16 66
Chas. Pooler, cash support,	4 00
Mrs. A. Loon, care of 2 children,	5 00
Fred B. Perry, board for Aug.,	4 00
Louis Boulette, “ “ “	4 00
Cora F. Page, 1 cord fitted wood,	5 00
Mrs. Jacob H. Wing, cash support,	10 00
Emma J. Stilson, “ “	9 30
C. Knauff, salary for August,	75 00
The Ursulines, board for July & August,	16 00
Grondin & Poulin, 2 coffins, hearse, robes,	14 00
Gideon Maheu, provisions,	12 00
E. L. Gove, “	8 00
W. M. Lincoln & Co., “	8 00
O. J. Pelletier, “	14 00
H. C. Haskell, “	29 00
E. M. Jepson, “	1 00
W. G. Oby, “	17 00
Arthur Daviau, “	3 00
Libby & Matthieu, “	14 00

J. C. Morrill, 2 months board to Sept. 1,	\$ 16 00
Jules Gamache, provisions,	12 00
Belliveau Bros., "	15 00
Landry & Boshan, "	16 00
L. S. Marquis, "	6 00
Sept. Maine Insane Hospital,	107 30
C. Knauff, salary for Sept.,	75 00
Nancy Abbott, 15 days nursing,	15 00
Mrs. Jacob H. Wing, cash support,	4 00
Emma J. Stilson, " "	6 60
Chas. Pooler, " "	4 00
Mrs. A. Loon, care of 2 children,	5 00
Mrs. Joseph Pooler, 1 week nursing,	2 00
Louis Boullette, board for Sept.,	4 00
Fred B. Perry, " " "	4 00
Clara Cote, board for Aug. and Sept.,	8 00
W. T. Haines, 3 months house rent,	10 50
S. A. & A. B. Green, 1 1-2 cords wood,	7 26
Grondin & Poulin, coffin and team,	3 00
L. G. Bunker, salary and dressing,	20 42
Philip H. Plaisted, 1 truss,	2 50
A. J. Alden, house rent,	4 00
Harry H. Blair, nursing,	4 0
The Ursulines, board for Sept.,	8 00
W. G. Oby, provisions,	25 00
E. L. Gove, "	8 00
W. M. Lincoln & Co., "	8 00
Gideon Maheu, "	12 00
Landry & Boshan, "	16 00
Jules Gamache, "	14 00
O. J. Pelletier, "	14 00
L. S. Marquis, "	7 00
Libby & Matthieu, "	14 00
C. W. Abbott, town of Windsor,	4 00
Belliveau Bros., provisions,	12 00

Oct.	C. Knauff, salary, traveling expenses, etc.,	\$ 79 49
	Mrs. A. Loon, care of 2 children,	5 00
	Charles Pooler, cash support,	4 00
	Louis Boullette, board for October,	4 00
	F. B. Perry, " " "	00
	F. W. Clair, 3 months house rent,	15 00
	W. T. Haines, 1 month " "	3 50
	Nancy Abbott, 31 days nursing,	31 00
	Mrs. Jacob H. Wing, cash support,	4 00
	Emma J. Stilson, " "	11 00
	L. G. Bunker, salary for October,	16 66
	Fred Breton, cash and ticket to Canada,	6 85
	John L. Rider, " " " " Massachusetts,	23 26
	H. C. Morse, 1 bbl. flour,	5 00
	F. Fontain, cutting 17 3-8 cords wood,	17 38
	John Baker, " 9 " "	9 00
	Joseph York, " 35 5-8 " "	35 62
	Redington & Co., coffin and hearse,	10 00
	Grondin & Poulin, coffin,	7 00
	A. J. Alden, 1 month house rent,	4 00
	The Ursulines, board for Oct.,	8 00
	Arthur Daviau, provisions,	9 00
	E. M. Jepson, "	6 00
	W. G. Oby, "	34 00
	Gideon Maheu, "	9 00
	E. L. Gove, "	8 00
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., "	8 00
	Belliveau Bros., "	12 00
	O. J. Pelletier, "	6 00
	Landry & Boshan, "	15 90
	Geo. Ranco, hauling 17 loads wood, etc.,	6 80
Nov.	Geo. Ranco, " 30 " "	12 00
	Emma S. Stilson, cash support,	11 00
	Mrs. Jacob H. Wing, " "	6 00
	C. Knauff, salary and traveling expenses,	77 26

Clara Cote, board for Oct. and Nov.,	\$ 8 00
Mrs. A. Loon, care of 2 children,	5 00
Louis Boulette, board for November,	4 00
Fred B. Perry, " " "	4 00
Chas. Pooler, cash support,	4 00
William Levine, 4 months house rent,	20 00
L. G. Bunker, salary for November,	16 66
H. B. Snell, casket, robe and hearse,	12 50
Nancy Abbott, 21 days nursing,	21 00
City of Lewiston, (F. K. Vigue, Jr.),	8 00
C. G. Rancourt, town of Vassalboro,	23 00
John Lashus, cutting 50 cords wood,	50 00
The Ursulines, board for November,	8 00
J. C. Morrill, board and clothing,	26 50
Landry & Boshan, provisions,	17 00
Arthur Daviau, "	13 00
Gideon Maheu, "	9 00
W. G. Oby, "	30 00
E. M. Jepson, "	2 00
L. S. Marquis, "	16 00
W. M. Lincoln & Co., "	14 00
E. L. Gove, "	16 00
Belliveau Bros., "	12 00
Jules Gamache, "	8 00
Dec. Maine Insane Hospital,	119 70
L. G. Bunker, salary and Augusta,	18 67
C. Knauff, salary,	75 00
G. S. Dolloff & Co., clothing,	4 00
A. J. Alden, 2 mos. house rent,	8 00
Sam Irving, 1 pair shoes,	1 00
City of Portland, (Lydia J. Seco),	27 94
The Ursulines, board for Dec.,	8 00
John Dusty, cutting and hauling 5 1-2 cords wood,	12 37
John Lashus, cutting and hauling 1 1-2 cords wood,	3 38
Louis Boulette, board for Dec.,	4 00

	Fred B. Perry, board for Dec.,	\$ 4 00
	Emma J. Stilson, cash support,	10 00
	Sarah Hebert, 5 months rent,	17 50
	Mrs. A. Loon, care of 2 children,	5 00
	Geo. Ranco, hauling 38 cords wood,	15 20
	E. L. Gove, provisions,	8 00
	Gideon Maheu, “	9 00
	O. J. Pelletier, “	19 00
	H. C. Haskell, “	14 00
	H. L. Emery, dry goods,	1 98
	Dinsmore & Son, 4 pairs shoes,	4 65
	W. M. Lincoln & Co., provisions,	12 00
Jan.	C. Knauff, salary and sundries,	75 39
	L. G. Bunker, salary,	16 66
	Fred B. Perry, board for January,	4 00
	Louis Boullette, “ “ “	4 00
	R. W. Dunn, 2 rents for 12 months,	20 00
	D. P. Foster, 12 months rent,	30 00
	William Levine, 2 “ “	10 00
	Gedeon Pitcher, 1 “ “	3 75
	F. W. Clair, 3 “ “	15 00
	Clara Cote, 2 months board,	8 00
	Augustus Loon, care of 2 children,	5 00
	The Ursulines, board for January,	8 00
	David Gallert, dry goods,	12 65
	Wardwell Bros., “ “	1 15
	H. C. Morse, 1 bbl. flour, meal, peas,	6 00
	J. C. Morrill, 2 months board,	16 00
	E. E. Clair, 10 pairs shoes,	11 45
	J. Peavy & Bros., clothing,	6 00
	Grondin & Poulin, coffin and hearse,	10 00
	A. J. Alden, house rent,	4 00
	Mark Gallert, 27 pairs shoes,	32 60
	Vede Lashus, 2 cords wood,	7 00
	W. S. Dunham, 4 pairs shoes,	4 75

H. B. Snell, funeral expenses,		\$ 22 00
Emma J. Stilson, cash support,		10 00
George Ronco, hauling 50 loads wood,		20 00
W. G. Oby, provisions 2 months,		93 00
Belliveau Bros., provisions,		16 00
Gideon Maheu,	"	9 00
L. G. Marquis,	"	12 00
Landry & Boshan,	"	34 00
Jules Gamache,	"	7 83
C. E. Matthews,	"	6 00
W. M. Lincoln & Co.,	"	8 00
Whitcomb & Cannon,	"	2 00
E. L. Gove,	"	8 00
Arthur Daviau,	"	28 00
E. M. Jepson,	"	10 00
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Fire Department.

Office of Chief Engineer, Waterville, Feb. 1, 1901.

To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council of Waterville:

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to herewith submit the annual report of the Fire Department for the year ending February 31, 1901, including the force of the Department, with a record of all alarms of fire which have been responded to by the Department, with the loss and insurance on the same, and the cause so far as can be ascertained, and such other information and recommendations as may seem of interest.

PERSONNEL.

Board of Engineers. Appleton H. Plaisted, Herbert M. Fuller, William Ranco.

Steamer Company No. 1. Geo. L. Learned, Engineer.

Hose Company No. 1. Geo. F. Davies, Captain; company of 11 men.

Hose Company No. 2. C. C. Dow, captain; company of 9 men.

Hose Company No. 3. John Pooler, Captain; company of 9 men.

Hose Company No. 4. C. E. Bushey, captain; company of 9 men.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 1. Fred H. Thomas, Captain; company of 14 men.

APPARATUS.

The apparatus consists of one steam fire engine, one two-

horse hose wagon, one two-horse hook and ladder truck, two single-horse wagons, one hand reel, and three single-horse hose sleds for winter use.

The value of the property is the same as has been reported for years.

HORSES.

The Department has four horses, all sound, and barring accidents, are good for many years. The former arrangements made for the horse for Hose 2, have been continued this year with satisfactory results. I have to report the killing, in September, of the horses attached to Hose 1. They were on duty ordered by the Chief, and were killed by contact with an electric light wire. The telephone wire was down and coming in contact with a high volted wire of the Waterville and Fairfield Electric Light & Railway Company, the ground was so charged with electricity that the horses passing on the street were killed. After very careful investigation, I am unable to find that any fault is due to the Telephone Company or the Electric Light Company. The wires were crossed by the scholars in the High school kicking a football into the wires passing in front of the school house on Pleasant street, which was the sole cause of the accident.

HOUSES.

The house occupied as a central fire station is in the same condition as reported last year, and is not suitable for the purpose used. The house occupied by the hook and ladder company has been repaired at an expense of several hundred dollars. While I did not think this advisable, it had to be done to answer our daily uses, and now, while not as it should be, will serve the purpose for many years. I, more strongly than ever, recommend the building of a more central fire station, suitable to the use of the Fire Department, as economy to the city, and necessary for the proper preserving of the apparatus.

HOSE.

No new hose has been bought this year. There is now only about 6000 feet of suitable hose, and 1000 feet should be bought the coming year.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

During the past year the fire alarm has been under the charge of the Waterville & Fairfield Electric Light & Railway Co., under contract made by the City Government. The first six months the service was very unsatisfactory; the last six months it has been better. The wire has been placed throughout its entire length in its proper place. The expense attending the same has been very large, more than ever before. I am strongly of the idea that there should be some one in charge of the fire alarm who is responsible to the Chief Engineer, and that he should be the person held responsible. Under present arrangements, there is no one person to whom the Engineer can give orders or instructions. I do, therefore, recommend that, as in the past, a superintendent of the fire alarm system be appointed for the ensuing year.

FIRE ALARMS.

1900.

February 1. Box 58, 9.05 p. m. Store on Main street, owned by Mrs. Gilman; occupied by Levine & Rosenthal. Caused by lamp falling. No insurance on building. Insurance paid on contents, \$608.37. Answered by Hose 1 and 2, Truck 1.

February 9. Box 58, 11.55 p. m. Store on Common street, owned by M. Gallert; occupied by A. H. York, as a restaurant. Insurance paid on building, \$380.00; on the contents, \$223.76. Cause unknown. Answered by Hose 1 and 2, and Truck 1.

March 16. Box 35, 10.20 a. m. House on Water street, chimney burning out, alarm needless, no loss. Answered by Hose 1 and 3, and Truck 1.

March 19. Box 36. House on Water street, Joe Tibou. Caused by a chimney. Loss, \$300. Answered by Hose 1 and 3, and Truck 1.

April 11. Box 44, 8.45 p. m. Car on Maine Central Railroad. Loss, \$100. Answered by Hose 1 and 4, and Truck 1. Caused by an Eastman heater.

April 15. Box 36, 4.10 a. m. Dwelling house on Cary street, occupied by Moses Cary. Loss, \$25. Answered by Hose 1 and 3, and Truck 1.

April 20. 3 a. m. Telephone from Lewiston for assistance. Steamer 1 and Hose 1 loaded, but not sent.

April 27. Box 35, 7.30 a. m. House on Veteran Court, occupied by G. A. Dearborn. Cause unknown, loss also unknown. Answered by Hose 1 and 3, and Truck 1.

May 7. Still alarm. House of W. M. True, on Main street. Extinguished by Hose 1, without loss.

May 7. Box 58, 2.30 p. m. Aid asked by the Hollingsworth & Whitney Company, Winslow. Steamer 1, Hose 1, Truck 1, sent in charge of the Chief, but were not used.

May 8. Box 57, 11.15 a. m. Store on Main street, owned by L. H. Soper & Co. Caused by oil igniting in the cellar. No loss. Answered by Hose 1 and 2, and Truck 1.

May 29. Box 46, 2.30 p. m. Dwelling house on High street, owned by F. S. Dudley. Cause unknown. Loss, \$428.37. Answered by Hose 1 and 4, and Truck 1.

June 27. Box 46, 6.45 p. m. Office building of the Maine Central railroad station. Caused by lightning, loss slight. Answered by Hose 1 and 4, and Truck 1.

July 4. Box 58, 8.30 a. m. Alarm needless. Answered by Hose 1 and 2, and Truck 1.

July 4. Still alarm. Store on Main street, owned by M. Gallert, occupied by S. S. Lightbody. Caused by electric wires. Loss, \$20.50.

September 7. Box 38, 10.30 a. m. Building on Elm street, owned by J. W. Philbrick. Caused by sparks from chimney on

the roof. Loss to building, \$14.70. Loss to furniture, \$10.00. Answered by Hose 1 and 2, and Truck 1.

September 8. Box 55, 9.30 p. m. Waste house of Lockwood Company on Water street. Loss, \$200.00. Cause, spontaneous combustion. Answered by Hose 1, 2, 3, and Truck 1.

October 1. 3 a. m. Alarm given for crossed wires.

November 7. Box 57, 9.30 p. m. Fire on the city road out of the city limits.

November 16. Box 55, 10 a. m. Dwelling house on Water street, alarm needless.

November 18. Box 45, 9.45 p. m. False alarm.

December 16. Box 46, 3 a. m. Store on Ticonic street, owned and occupied by Wm. Levine, as a dwelling house and store. Loss on the building, \$500.00, loss on the contents, \$3,850.00. Cause, see the report of the insurance commissioners.

December 17. Box 55, 7.30 p. m. House on Green street, alarm needless.

December 19. Box 37, 10 p. m.

December 20. Box 58, 3 a. m. Store on Maine street, owned by Mrs. Hodgdon, and occupied by Percy Loud. Damage to building, \$50.00. Caused by an over-heated chimney. Answered by Hose 1 and 2, and Truck 1.

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January 4. Box 55, 7 p. m. Lockwood boarding house on Water street. Alarm needless.

January 6. Box 45, 1 a. m. House owned by Mr. Rowe on Brook street, occupied by A. Chamberlain. Damage to building \$600.00, damage to furniture, \$3.00. Cause unknown. Answered by Hose 1 and 4, and Truck 1.

January 14. Box 48, 5 p. m. Shed in the Maine Central yard containing a hoisting engine for coal. Answered by Hose 1 and 4, and Truck 1. Damage, \$200.00.

January 20. Box 58, 1.45 a. m. Store No. 3 at Head of Falls, occupied by Jules Gamache. Caused from the chimney.

Loss on the building, \$590.00. Loss on contents, \$715.00 Answered by Hose 1 and 2, and Truck 1.

January 20. Box 36, 8.20 a. m. House on Water street owned by Sofie Lashus. Loss on building, \$100.00. Loss on furniture, \$50.00. No insurance. Answered by Hose 1 and 3, and Truck 1.

January 30. Box 44, 1 p. m. House on Chaplin street, owned and occupied by Timothy O'Donnell. Caused by chimney burning out. No loss. Answered by Hose 1 and 4, and Truck 1.

IMPROVEMENTS.

During the past year there have been fewer additions made than for many years. Three boxes have been established, No. 63, at the junction of Main and Elm streets; No. 64, at the junction of Common and Front; No. 73, at the junction of Lawrence and Nash. I know of no apparatus needed at present, and the Department seems to me, both as to equipment and discipline, to be all and more than would be found in a city of this size ordinarily. I would recommend that the pay of the assistant engineer be restored to what it was two years ago.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

APPLETON H. PLAISTED, *Chief Engineer.*

	Cr.	
	1900.	
Appropriation,		\$5,750 00
Error in bill,		2 50
Transferred from Miscellaneous Account,		235 31
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		\$5,987 81
	Dr.	
	1900.	
A. H. Plaisted, cash paid for express charges,		\$ 24 60

Hook & Ladder Company, No. 1, pay rolls,	\$ 408 00
Hose Company, No. 1, pay rolls,	347 80
Hose Company, No. 2, pay rolls,	286 80
Hose Company, No. 3, pay rolls,	218 00
Hose Company, No. 4, pay rolls,	238 00
Geo. H. Proctor, salary as driver, and cash paid out,	730 30
Oscar D. Prescott, salary as driver,	730 00
Thomas Landry, Jr., care of Fire Alarm Signal, and labor,	27 00
Waterville & Fairfield Railway and Light Co., care of Fire Alarm, and supplies,	153 20
W. E. Decrow, fire alarm signal boxes, etc.,	252 51
Edgar Snow, pair of horses,	450 00
Waterford Fire Engine Works, rubber valves,	7 22
Miller Smoke Protector Co., smoke protectors,	18 40
John M. Fox & Co., jars,	4 57
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., supplies,	7 50
Cornelius Callahan Co., supplies,	4 17
Union Electric Mfg. Co., 2 hose menders,	12 00
C. N. Perkins & Co., snaps, straps, etc.,	14 00
Lawrence, Newhall & Co., lumber,	7 20
Maine Central R. R. Co., freight charges,	16 43
American Express Co., express charges,	1 50
W. G. Oby, hauling hose carriage,	8 15
George F. Davies, labor and supplies,	37 50
H. M. Fuller, grain,	22 93
W. M. True, straw,	52 25
L. Morrill & Co., grain, etc.,	112 25
John H. Matthews, hay,	142 54
Waterville Granite Co., supplies,	75
A. E. Sawyer, horse dentistry,	6 00
Ira A. Mitchell, use of horses,	181 00
Dr. A. Joly, veterinary services,	5 00
F. H. Thomas, burying horses,	10 00
Archie W. Taylor, labor,	6 00

Proctor & Bowie Co., spruce boards,	\$ 2 10
Webber & Philbrick, labor and supplies,	3 20
Fred S. Brown, labor and supplies,	4 30
Young & Chalmers, ice,	8 75
Michael Frye, ice,	5 00
Adelarde Halde, labor,	8 50
Edw. Halde, labor and use of horse,	8 00
E. Gilpatrick, supplies and labor,	207 60
Harry Spencer, labor,	9 85
Harold Cox, labor,	4 65
Frank N. Esty, rent of land and labor,	7 15
A. I. Trafton, shoeing horses,	5 75
J. A. Davison, " "	70 00
A. R. Farnham, pung and labor,	72 50
R. W. Hanson, chemicals,	75
Joseph Marcou, labor,	9 00
Levi Ranco, labor,	7 50
Henry K. Barnes, gong, etc.,	34 00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone charges,	20 47
Redington & Co., mdse.,	13 50
W. B. Arnold & Co., supplies,	135 39
S. A. & A. B. Green, fuel,	96 55
G. S. Flood & Co., fuel,	76 96
G. L. Learned & Co., labor and supplies,	39 33
W. H. Savage, labor,	138 15
Wardwell Bros., mdse.,	9 05
C. H. Vigue, supplies,	73 95
W. M. Lincoln & Co., oats, etc.,	19 81
P. S. Heald, 3 rubber coats,	9 00
S. A. Dickinson, supplies,	13 55
A. F. Merrill, oats,	10 93
J. C. Blaisdell, hay,	75 95
John Pooler, labor,	9 37
Will Brown, labor,	2 25
Hanson, Webber & Dunham, mdse.,	2 40

Philip H. Plaisted, mdse.,	\$ 69 48
Wallace A. Hill, roofing steamer house,	84 00
Silas G. Small, housing truck, and use of horses,	5 00
B. A. Kimball, labor, sharpening tools, etc.,	32 60
Geo. E. Landry, hauling hose carriage,	1 50
Dow & Burrill, labor,	3 65
L. S. Marquis, mdse.,	3 39
Horace Perkins, ointment,	2 75
G. E. Scates, labor and supplies,	13 90
Wells & Thomas, hauling hose,	2 85
B. P. Wells, hauling hose, and use of team,	3 00
L. H. Fletcher, labor,	3 60
E. M. Jepson, mdse.,	3 31
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	\$5,987 81

Report of City Marshal.

To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council:

GENTLEMEN: I have the honor and pleasure to submit herewith my report of the doings of the Police Department of the City of Waterville for the year ending January 31, 1901.

ORGANIZATION.

City Marshal—Chas. B. Davis.

Deputy Marshal and Captain of the Night Watch—Geo. H. Simpson.

Patrolmen—Geo. H. Simpson, J. F. Woodbury, J. R. Roderick, J. A. Hyland, H. G. Pooler.

Sunday Police—James King.

Saturday Night Police—Roscoe Hanson.

Special Officer for Maine Central Station and Yard—George Rainey.

Janitor of City Rooms and Lockup—Thomas King.

Special Policemen—C. C. Bridges, Ludger Belanger, Philip Huard, Harry E. Hinds, Walter S. Jackson, Chas. King, Frank W. Lapham, J. W. Lemont, Geo. Martin, Jos. Mayo, D. A. Morrill, Wilfred Norman, John Pooler, Harry C. Rand, Levi Ronco, Chester Simpson, Edward Simpson, Chas. R. Tyler and W. J. Whyte.

WORK OF THE YEAR.

During the year there have been 210 warrants handled which may be divided into three classes—Offences against the person, 7; against property, 34; against public order, 169.

In detail, these are as follows: Assault, 4; assault and bat-

tery, 2; assault with intent to murder, 1; breaking and entering and larceny, 1; common drunkard, 5; common seller, 6; cruelty to animals, 1; drunkenness, 112; drunk, second offense, 3; evading railroad fare, 4; fast driving, 1; forgery, 1; larceny, 27; liquor nuisance, 10; loitering about railroad station, 2; riding bicycle on sidewalk, 4; search for intoxicating liquors, 3; search for stolen goods, 1; search and seizure, 7; single sale, 8; tramp, 1; vagrancy, 1.

The disposition of the cases coming before the court was as follows: Fined and paid, 63; committed to jail on sentence, 23; committed to jail in default of payment, 52; appealed, 16; mittimus suspended, 20; discharged, 6; complaint withdrawn, 1; committed to reform school, 4; bound over to Superior Court, 23.

Arrests made by different officers have been by Charles B. Davis, City Marshal, 60; George H. Simpson, Deputy Marshal, 48; J. F. Woodbury, 43; J. A. Hyland, 18; Henry G. Pooler, 11; James King, 1; Geo. Rainey, 2; Thomas King, 2; J. R. Roderick, 3; Jos. Mayo, 2; George Martin, 2; Roscoe Hanson, 2; J. W. Lemont, 3; Harry E. Hinds, 1; Geo. Vigue, 2; Levi Ronco, 2; Charles King, 1. Arrested by Departments in other cities and brought here for trial, 4; arrested for officers in other cities and towns, 5.

Miscellaneous matters have come into the work of the Police Department as follows: Lost pocket-books containing money, found and returned to owners, 6; lost children found in the streets and returned to their homes, 8; dangerous places in the streets and sidewalks found and reported, 5; store doors found unlocked, 37; bicycles left in the street cared for, 19; loose animals in the street secured, 3; runaway teams stopped by the police, 7; fire alarms rung in by police, 4; stolen goods and money found and returned to owners, where no arrest followed, (value) \$147.00; live wires found in the street, 2; crossed electric wires discovered and reported, 2.

NEW PATROLMEN.

At the beginning of the year I laid before the Committee on Police a plan which would give a half-night service on Ticonic street and an extra man half a day on Main street, requiring an addition to the regular force of one man. The plan impressed the Committee as favorably as it had me, and I was given permission to try its operation. The first month's working proved the feasibility of the arrangement, and I was directed to continue it during the year. In consequence, I asked for an appropriation \$200.00 larger this year than last, and an examination of the financial account annexed will show that I have kept within the limits of that appropriation. This result is brought about by doing away with the cost of the special work Saturday nights and Sundays in the Ticonic street section and also considerable special work on Main street in the day-time.

FINANCIAL.

An examination of the financial account annexed will show that the cost of the Department for this year has been \$3,995.19 against \$3,970.90 for the year ending Jan. 31, 1900. This, in the light of the fact that there has been one man regular additional, may seem strange. There are, however, several substantial reasons for this. First, rigid economy in every instance; second, none of last year's bills to be paid from this year's appropriation; third, no circus days with their necessary large police force. From last year's appropriation, about \$150.00 of bills of the previous year was paid. About \$100.00 was paid for new equipment, and the policing of circus day cost over \$50.00, while special work, this year saved by the additional officer, made up the difference.

NEW POLICE STATION.

The matter of a new police station ought to receive immediate attention from the City Council. I can only add to the urgent request that I made in my report last year for some action in

this direction, that the present lockup has experienced one year's deterioration from its horrible condition at that time. Filth and vermin defy the most persistent scrubbing, and cleanliness is wholly out of the question there. The construction of the cells is such that it is impossible, in cold weather, to heat them sufficiently to lock a person therein; while the ventilation of the place in hot weather is about on a par with the famous "Black Hole" of Calcutta.

It is my opinion that the City ought not to wait for the fulfillment of the dream of a new city building before providing more suitable police headquarters and a police station. Even if a new municipal building were to be built soon, the police station would, in the minds of all who have ever had anything to do with police departments, be far better accommodated in a separate building not far distant.

IN CONCLUSION.

I again wish to express my sincere thanks to His Honor, Mayor Philbrook, Judge Shaw of the Municipal Court, and the several officers of the regular and special force, for the numerous courtesies received during the year.

Very respectfully submitted,

CHAS. B. DAVIS, *City Marshal.*

Cr.

1900.

Appropriation,
Colby College,

\$4,000.00

9.00

\$4,009.00

Dr.

1900.

Chas. B. Davis, City Marshal, salary and cash paid
out,

\$501 74

Geo. H. Simpson, Deputy Marshal,		\$738 00
J. F. Woodbury,	Police,	758 39
Henry G. Pooler,	"	729 24
J. A. Hyland,	"	547 79
George Martin,	"	150 65
James King,	"	103 72
John R. Roderick,	"	86 31
Roscoe Hanson,	"	61 16
Thomas King,	"	76 37
Levi Ronco,	"	32 14
John Pooler,	"	29 22
H. E. Hinds,	"	9 69
C. E. Bushey,	"	9 12
C. C. Bridges,	"	4 25
Wilfred Norman,	"	4 62
Philip Huard,	"	3 75
Chas. King,	"	2 00
Joseph Mayo,	"	2 00
Joseph Godreau,	"	2 00
J. W. Lemont,	"	2 00
Chester Simpson,	"	2 00
Ludger Belanger,	"	1 50
W. S. McCartney,	"	80
H. E. Avery,		20
S. A. & A. B. Green, fuel,		33 00
G. S. Flood & Co., fuel,		5 38
W. B. Arnold & Co., mdse.,		10 18
Hanson, Webber & Dunham, mdse.,		4 00
G. S. Dolloff & Co., mdse.,		6 00
F. J. Goodridge, badge and keys,		1 30
A. Otten, supplies,		24 53
Whitcomb & Cannon, mdse.,		60
F. E. Moore, blank book,		50
C. E. Matthews, mdse.,		25
Philip H. Plaisted, mdse.,		40

Mail Publishing Co., blanks, etc.,	\$ 4 25
Loring, Short & Harmon, police register,	7 50
G. L. Learned & Co., supplies,	3 06
E. Gilpatrick, labor and supplies,	2 52
W. H. Savage, labor,	20 36
Ira A. Mitchell, teams,	3 00
Jesse Whitcomb, carriage hire,	1 50
A. N. Strange, " "	50
Deane E. Taylor, " "	60
N. J. Norris, " "	6 85
A. H. Clement, labor,	25

Total amount warrants drawn,

\$3,995 19

Balance undrawn, credited Misc. Acct.

13 81

\$4,009 00

Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

February 1, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Waterville:

I herewith submit the financial report of the department of public schools of this city for the year ending Jan. 31, 1901.

COMMON SCHOOLS.

RESOURCES.

Balance Feb. 1, 1900,	\$ 349 08	
Appropriation,	15,000 00	
State Treasurer,	7,632 43	
Other Sources,	42 17	
Overdraft,	128 21	
	<hr/>	\$ 23,161 89

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries of Teachers and Officers,	\$15,949 79	
Text-Books,	794 92	
Janitors,	1,727 37	
Fuel,	1,496 43	
Miscellaneous,	306 82	
Repairs,	1,269 41	
Supplies,	717 21	
Conveying,	705 60	
Cleaning and Washing,	194 34	
	<hr/>	\$ 23,161 89

SALARIES OF TEACHERS AND OFFICERS.

Delia O'Donnell,	\$ 499 94
Helen M. Dunbar,	499 94
Leora P. Holland,	499 94
Eva M. Towne,	499 94
Sara D. Lang,	361 06
Elizabeth Manley,	379 98
Maud Moreau,	375 54
Fannie Angle,	360 00
Edwina I. Atkins,	360 00
Bertha E. Butterfield,	360 00
Alice Brown,	360 00
Barzie E. Nowell,	360 00
Cora B. Lincoln,	360 00
M. Blanche Lane,	360 00
Emma A. Knauff,	360 00
Lura C. Emery,	360 00
Alice F. Lowe,	354 00
Florence M. Perkins,	358 00
G. Alice Osborn,	360 00
Gertrude Lord,	360 00
Ida M. Murray,	360 00
Maude F. Getchell,	306 00
Adelaide S. Pollard,	306 00
Greta E. Bigelow,	180 00
Grace G. Rolfe,	256 00
Cora C. Dow,	290 00
Maud E. Stevens,	219 00
Charlotte D. Emery,	323 00
Cleora E. Lakin,	208 00
Florence Proctor,	252 00
Lillian M. Clair,	234 00
Lue N. Morrill,	180 00
Jennie L. Barry,	180 00
Hattie B. Vigue,	180 00

Beulah D. Robinson,	\$ 225 00
Julia A. Lakin,	180 00
Maude Atherton,	233 00
Marian Buker,	214 50
Jean Cragin,	180 00
Florence Tolman,	180 00
Bessie M. Hamlin,	180 00
Annie E. Hall,	180 00
E. Philena Penney,	144 00
Ethel G. Barr,	126 00
Alice F. Nudd,	108 00
Josephine Berry,	90 00
Connie M. Manley,	112 00
Lizzie G. Robinson,	70 00
E. Mildred Patten,	44 00
Amy Phillips,	90 00
Lettie Buck,	20 25
Minnie L. Corson,	9 25
Edith Estes,	15 25
Gertrude Matthews,	32 75
Annie Dunbar,	100 00
Carrie Stuart,	9 00
Alice Abbott,	11 25
Edith Kennison,	21 75
Addie Brightman,	8 25
Georgia Davis,	3 25
Iva Woodward,	20 00
H. L. Corson,	282 00
N. K. Fuller,	102 00
Percy Gilbert,	82 50
Woman's Association,	80 00
C. E. Hoxie,	290 35
E. T. Wyman,	1,243 10
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	\$ 15,949 79

TEXT-BOOKS.

Feb.	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	\$ 9 60
	Ginn & Co.,	169 50
	The Macmillan Co.,	8 34
	Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	10 20
	American Book Co.,	10 40
Apr.	American Book Co.,	4 80
	Ginn & Co.,	32 19
May.	Ginn & Co.,	12 50
	The Book Supply Co.,	8 64
	W. D. Spaulding,	25
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	43 37
June.	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	1 20
Sept.	Lothrop Pub. Co.,	2 25
	Ginn & Co.,	55 44
	American Book Co.,	48 80
	Silver, Burdett & Co.,	2 80
	Hinds & Noble,	20 00
Oct.	Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	10 20
	D. C. Heath & Co.,	50 25
	Ginn & Co.,	9 50
	Silver, Burdett & Co.,	8 50
	American Book Co.,	35 04
Nov.	Silver, Burdett & Co.,	5 80
	American Book Co.,	10 00
	The Morse Co.,	4 20
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	15 00
Dec.	D. C. Heath & Co.,	9 38
Jan.	American Book Co.,	14 88
	Ginn & Co.,	85 78
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	24 00
	Perry Mason & Co.,	27
	Silver, Burdett & Co.,	71 84
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		\$ 794 92

JANITORS.

Feb.	John Taylor,	\$ 40 00
	S. S. Wormell,	41 66
	W. T. Partridge,	36 00
	Edw'd Nelson,	24 00
	King Gullifer,	12 75
	Lena Fellows,	12 00
Mar.	John Taylor,	40 00
	S. S. Wormell,	45 66
	W. T. Partridge,	36 00
	King Gullifer,	9 00
	Edw'd Nelson,	18 00
	Lena Fellows,	9 00
	Mrs. John Pooler,	13 75
Apr.	W. T. Partridge,	45 00
	S. S. Wormell,	41 66
	King Gullifer,	12 00
	Edw'd Nelson,	24 00
	Lena Fellows,	14 00
	John Taylor,	45 30
May	Edw'd Nelson,	24 00
	S. S. Wormell,	44 66
	King Gullifer,	12 00
	John Taylor,	40 00
	Lena Fellows,	12 00
	W. T. Partridge,	36 00
June.	W. T. Partridge,	27 00
	Edw'd Nelson,	18 00
	Lena Fellows,	9 00
	F. Moreau,	22 50
	John Taylor,	31 65
	King Gullifer,	9 00
	Mrs. John Pooler,	13 00
Aug.	S. S. Wormell,	124 98
Sept.	F. Moreau,	22 50

	S. S. Wormell,	\$ 41 66	
	Edw'd Nelson,	18 00	
	King Gullifer,	9 00	
	Robert Joseph,	30 00	
	Lena Fellows,	9 00	
Oct.	S. S. Wormell,	41 66	
	Robert Joseph,	40 00	
	King Gullifer,	12 00	
	Edw'd Nelson,	24 00	
	F. Moreau,	30 00	
	Lena Fellows,	12 00	
Nov.	S. S. Wormell,	41 66	
	Robert Joseph,	40 00	
	Edw'd Nelson,	30 00	
	F. Moreau,	30 00	
	King Gullifer,	12 00	
	Lena Fellows,	12 00	
Dec.	S. S. Wormell,	19 23	
	F. Moreau,	30 00	
	Lena Fellows,	9 00	
	King Gullifer,	12 00	
	Robert Joseph,	10 00	
	Edw'd Nelson,	30 00	
Jan.	Robert Joseph,	70 00	
	S. S. Wormell,	64 09	
	F. Moreau,	30 00	
	Edw'd Nelson,	30 00	
	King Gullifer,	12 00	
	Lena Fellows,	12 00	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,727 37

FUEL.

Mar.	G. S. Flood & Co.,	\$ 16 50
	S. A. & A. B. Green,	76 73
Apr.	G. S. Flood & Co.,	23 00
	S. A. & A. B. Green,	14 00

	Arthur Watson,	\$ 6 00	
	Chas. Seekins,	5 00	
May.	S. A. & A. B. Green,	54 63	
	G. S. Flood & Co.,	80 30	
July.	S. A. & A. B. Green,	643 44	
Aug.	G. S. Flood & Co.,	494 08	
	Ezekiel Quimby,	5 00	
Sept.	S. A. & A. B. Green,	6 75	
	George Boulger,	9 00	
	Louis Grodin,	10 00	
Oct.	James Hawes,	2 00	
	G. S. Flood & Co.,	2 25	
	S. A. & A. B. Green,	2 50	
Nov.	S. A. & A. B. Green,	10 00	
Jan.	S. A. & A. B. Green,	35 25	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,496 43

MISCELLANEOUS.

Feb.	Victoria Arnold,	\$24 50	
	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	2 06	
Mar.	E. T. Wyman,	17 35	
	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	2 06	
	F. Woodbury,	1 00	
	C. B. Davis,	4 50	
Apr.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	2 06	
	C. B. Davis,	50	
	F. J. Goodridge,	1 00	
May.	E. T. Wyman,	5 25	
	W. Wirt Brown,	93 04	
	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	2 06	
	Hoyt's Express Co.,	5 35	
	J. F. Woodbury,	3 00	
	C. B. Davis,	8 50	
June.	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	2 06	
	J. F. Woodbury,	50	

July.	N. J. Norris,	\$ 2 70
Aug.	Victoria Arnold,	24 50
Sept.	C. A. Hill,	3 50
Oct.	C. B. Davis,	3 50
	J. F. Woodbury,	1 50
	Drummond & Perkins,	54 00
	Hoyt's Express Co.,	6 40
	N. J. Norris,	2 15
	E. Strange,	1 50
Nov.	C. B. Davis,	2 00
	J. F. Woodbury,	1 00
	M. C. R. R. Co.,	3 63
Dec.	E. T. Wyman,	5 05
	Miller & Buzzell,	75
Jan.	Jesse Whitcomb,	50
	N. J. Norris,	2 75
	Wells & Thomas,	9 60
	Ira A. Mitchell,	2 00
	C. B. Davis,	5 00
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		\$ 306 82

REPAIRS.

Feb.	Edw'd Marcia,	\$ 8 00
	Hanson, Webber & Dunham,	25
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	20 00
	G. W. Fitzgerald,	2 55
Mar.	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	10 74
	Redington & Co.,	3 00
	Whitcomb & Cannon,	3 81
	W. F. Kennison,	14 86
	E. Gilpatrick,	17 80
	S. S. Wormell,	50
	King Gullifer	2 75
Apr.	Geo. L. Learned,	1 67
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	13 95

	Edw'd Marcia,	\$ 3 76	
	E. T. Wyman,	6 29	
May.	Horace Purinton,	69 12	
	Geo. L. Learned,	1 67	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	3 30	
July.	Chas. Smith & Co.,	40 50	
	Wallace A. Hill,	40 00	
Aug.	E. Gilpatrick,	99 21	
	E. C. Fairfield,	5 32	
	John Taylor,	13 50	
	Hanson, Webber & Dunham,	10 00	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	40 00	
Sept.	H. I. Pierce,	396 21	
	Proctor & Bowie,	177 83	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	55 27	
	Webber & Philbrick,	75	
Oct.	Geo. E. Barrett,	16 30	
	Geo. L. Learned & Co.,	1 13	
	E. C. Fairfield,	3 00	
	Fred S. Brown,	30	
	Fred Pooler,	46 00	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	7 00	
Nov.	W. F. Kennison,	2 18	
	E. Gilpatrick,	10 06	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	7 00	
Dec.	Waterville Granite Co.,	16 04	
	Proctor & Bowie Co.,	4 65	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	60 00	
	C. C. Dow,	1 25	
Jan.	Horace Purinton & Co.,	13 50	
	Edw'd C. Marcia,	12 39	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	6 00	
		<hr/>	\$1,269 41

SUPPLIES.

Feb.	C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	\$15 03
	Ginn & Co.,	2 09
	Eagle Pencil Co.,	7 00
	E. T. Wyman,	1 16
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	9 92
	Chas. A. Wood,	2 00
	C. E. Matthews,	3 64
	Walter Branch,	2 63
Mar.	E. T. Wyman,	3 26
	Mail Pub. Co.,	10 35
	Hoyt's Express Co.,	4 45
	J. L. Hammett Co.,	85
	Hanson, Webber & Dunham,	3 75
Apr.	Joseph Gillott & Son,	9 75
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	49 11
	W. D. Spaulding,	2 30
	F. S. Merrow,	3 65
	J. C. Witter Co.,	7 00
	J. L. Hammett Co.,	3 97
	W. M. Dunn,	10 60
	Sara D. Lang,	55
May.	The Outlook Co.,	3 00
	J. L. Hammett Co.,	7 05
	Thorp & Martin Co.,	3 45
	Mail Pub. Co.,	10 10
	Redington & Co.,	12 50
	W. W. Berry & Co.,	40
	Whitcomb & Cannon,	1 30
	Jesse Whitcomb,	65
June.	Mail Pub. Co.,	11 05
	Wm. C. Hawker,	3 50
	Hoyt's Express Co.,	4 30
July.	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	4 05
	David Gallert,	50

Aug.	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	\$ 5 00
	Mail Pub. Co.,	26 00
	Hanson, Webber & Dunham,	2 47
	Whitcomb & Cannon,	4 97
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	12 05
	David Gallert,	2 89
	H L. Emery,	60
	Geo. W. Dorr,	3 50
	F. E. Moore,	1 00
Sept.	J. L. Hammett Co.,	5 17
	Joseph Gillott & Son,	9 75
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	21 77
	E. T. Wyman,	2 75
	Redington & Co.,	8 25
	W. C. Hawker & Co.,	6 50
	H. L. Emery,	2 16
	Whitcomb & Cannon,	1 80
	Mail Pub. Co.,	10 60
Oct.	C. M. Rice Paper Co.,	18 83
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	8 25
	Eagle Pencil Co.,	7 50
	F. S. Merrow,	75
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	7 00
	Hanson, Webber & Dunham,	3 78
	Redington & Co.,	4 00
	Mail Pub. Co.,	10 50
	W. W. Berry & Co.,	6 85
	F. A. Lovejoy,	7 00
	C. E. Hoxie,	1 00
Nov.	C. Withington & Sons,	18 00
	A. Storrs & Bement Co.,	4 15
	J. L. Hammett Co.,	2 03
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	20 00
	Hanson, Webber & Dunham,	2 60
	Redington & Co.,	1 95
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	24

Dec.	Cressey, Jones & Allen,	\$ 50 00	
	F. S. Merrow,	5 40	
	Auburn Brush & Mop Co.,	15 00	
	G. M. Donham,	1 50	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	5 98	
Jan.	Esterbrook Steel Pen Co.,	3 96	
	Eagle Pencil Co.,	4 00	
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	93 53	
	Wm. Flagg,	75	
	C. E. Hoxie,	3 87	
	E. T. Wyman,	3 10	
	J. G. Darrah,	3 95	
	C. A. Henrickson,	23 88	
	C. E. Matthews,	8 87	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	5 30	
	Redington & Co.,	3 50	
	Mail Pub. Co.,	15 55	
	The Main Bindery,	2 50	
		<hr/>	\$ 717 21

CONVEYING.

Mar.	Justin Brown,	\$ 70 00
	P. C. Greenleaf,	35 00
	Mrs. J. C. Morrill,	35 00
Apr.	J. C. Morrill,	20 00
	Justin Brown,	40 00
	P. C. Greenleaf,	20 00
May.	J. C. Morrill,	20 00
	Justin Brown,	40 00
	P. C. Greenleaf,	20 00
June.	J. C. Morrill,	15 00
	Justin Brown,	30 00
	P. C. Greenleaf,	15 00
Sept.	P. C. Greenleaf,	15 00
	J. C. Morrill,	15 00

	George Webber,	\$ 27 00	
Oct.	R. H. Union,	20 00	
	George Webber,	36 00	
	J. C. Morrill,	20 00	
	F. H. Thomas,	3 60	
Nov.	R. H. Union,	20 00	
	J. C. Morrill,	20 00	
	George Webber,	36 00	
Dec.	George Webber,	27 00	
	R. H. Union,	15 00	
Jan.	J. C. Morrill,	35 00	
	George Webber,	36 00	
	R. H. Union,	20 00	
		<hr/>	\$ 705 60

CLEANING AND WASHING.

Mar.	Mrs. Addie Shea,	\$ 1 87
	Mrs. Carrie Ellis,	3 63
July.	Waterville Steam Laundry,	11 69
Aug.	Arthur Simpson,	1 60
	Agnes Burgess,	7 50
	Mary Simpson,	7 50
	Angie Simpson,	7 50
	Emma Page,	62
	Mary Dazier,	3 75
	Lavinia Yupie,	4 37
	Addie Petcha,	5 00
	Wallace Gullifer,	9 12
	Emma Rheume,	13 00
	Marial Richards,	8 12
	Mary Taylor,	6 87
	Lucy Gullifer,	22 74
	Nettie Davis,	20 25
	Annie Gilbert,	2 50
	Chas. Gullifer,	11 87

	Lavinia Gurney,	\$11 75	
Sept.	Chas. Lashus,	1 25	
	W. I. Towne,	2 50	
	Mrs. John Fellows,	1 85	
	Mary Pooler,	1 25	
	Flora Perry,	2 50	
	Mrs. Chas. Lashus,	1 25	
	Agnes Simpson,	1 87	
	Mrs. Henry Razor,	75	
	Mrs. Terriault,	75	
Oct.	Mrs. Chas. Lashus,	2 50	
Nov.	S. S. Wormell,	4 00	
	Mrs. Carrie Ellis,	2 00	
Dec.	Lucy Gullifer,	1 00	
	Nettie Davis,	1 12	
	Carrie Ellis,	1 00	
Jan.	F. Moreau,	7 50	
		<hr/>	\$194 34

HIGH SCHOOL.

RESOURCES.

Appropriation,	\$5,250 00	
State Treasurer,	250 00	
Other Sources,	3 00	
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		\$5,503 00

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' Salaries,	\$4,212 78
Text-Books,	382 80
Janitor,	276 00
Fuel,	218 75
Miscellaneous,	112 00

Repairs,	\$ 30 30	
Supplies,	104 25	
Cleaning and Washing,	3 49	
Balance on hand,	162 63	
	<hr/>	\$5,503 00

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

John E. Nelson,	\$1,299 97	
Wm. A. Smith,	800 02	
Florence L. Drummond,	499 94	
Frances H. Morrill,	499 94	
Florence E. Dunn,	249 97	
Carrie M. True,	225 00	
Mary E. Redington,	138 00	
Caro L. Hoxie,	249 97	
Helen F. Plaisted,	249 97	
	<hr/>	\$4,212 78

TEXT BOOKS.

Apr. Ginn & Company,	\$10 00	
American Book Co.,	6 34	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	32 50	
Allyn & Bacon,	29 25	
Boston School Supply Co.,	2 50	
May. Edwin Towne,	3 50	
Sept. Allyn & Bacon,	44 18	
Ginn & Company,	52 50	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	41 34	
Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	2 70	
Oct. Hinds & Noble,	15 00	
Butler, Sheldon & Co.,	4 80	
Nov. Allyn & Bacon,	8 00	
Dec. D. C. Heath & Co.,	1 75	
Jan. Boston School Supply Co.,	5 00	
Henry Holt & Co.,	1 92	

Rand, McNally & Co.,	\$12 60	
Allyn & Bacon,	13 00	
Longmans, Greene & Co.,	20 88	
American Book Co.,	4 80	
D. C. Heath & Co.,	25 59	
Ginn & Company,	22 00	
Hoyt's Express Co.,	3 65	
Benj. A. Sanborn & Co.,	16 00	
T. H. Castor & Co.,	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$382 80

JANITOR.

Feb. F. Moreau,	\$30 00	
Mar. F. Moreau,	30 00	
Apr. F. Moreau,	37 50	
May. F. Moreau,	36 00	
Sept. Geo. P. Witham,	22 50	
Oct. Geo. P. Witham,	30 00	
Nov. Geo. P. Witham,	30 00	
Dec. Geo. P. Witham,	30 00	
Jan. Geo. P. Witham,	30 00	
	<hr/>	\$276 00

FUEL.

Aug. G. S. Flood & Co.,	\$ 218 75	
	<hr/>	\$218 75

MISCELLANEOUS.

Apr. C. B. Davis,	50	
May. C. B. Davis,	50	
June. Mail Pub. Co.,	32 00	
Aug. Baptist Church Society,	40 00	
Oct. Drummond & Perkins,	39 00	
	<hr/>	\$112 00

REPAIRS.

Feb.	Walter Branch,	\$ 2 62	
	L. H. Fletcher,	85	
Mar.	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	14 08	
Sept.	F. Moreau,	7 50	
Oct.	Geo. L. Learned,	50	
Dec.	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	4 75	
		<hr/>	\$ 30 30

SUPPLIES.

Feb.	C. E. Matthews,	\$ 1 85	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	35	
June.	Boston Bank Note Co.,	17 40	
	Mail Pub. Co.,	35 75	
Sept.	John E. Nelson,	1 50	
	Mail Pub. Co.,	2 50	
	J. D. Loughran,	2 50	
Oct.	E. T. Wyman,	1 55	
	L. H. Soper & Co.,	4 80	
	H. L. Emery,	98	
Nov.	E. T. Wyman,	2 15	
Jan.	Jas. L. Dean,	3 00	
	Edw'd E. Babb & Co.,	12 50	
	Mail Pub. Co.,	7 50	
	W. B. Arnold & Co.,	9 92	
		<hr/>	\$104 25

CLEANING AND WASHING.

Jan.	Waterville Steam Laundry,	\$3 49	
		<hr/>	\$ 3 49

Respectfully submitted,

E. T. WYMAN, *Superintendent.*

Report of City Solicitor.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Waterville.

I herewith submit the following report for the municipal year ending February 1, 1901:

The case of George G. Adams vs. City of Waterville, known as the City Hall case, was argued before the Law Court, and a decision will, no doubt, be reached in a very short time.

The above case is the only case now pending in the courts in which the city is interested.

The case City of Waterville vs. Town of Monson was settled before coming to trial, the city receiving the full amount sued for and costs.

The case of Frank Vigue vs. City of Waterville, a small pox case, was tried at the June term of the Superior Court and was decided in favor of the city.

Respectfully submitted,

DANA P. FOSTER, *City Solicitor.*

City Assessors' Report.

Waterville, Me., Jan. 31, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

The undersigned, City Assessors for the year 1900, respectfully report that on the second day of July, 1900, we committed to F. A. Knauff, Collector, for collection, lists of taxes on the polls and estates subject to assessment for the year beginning April 1st, 1900, amounting in the aggregate to \$113,800.95, to wit:—

On real estate valued at \$4,084,075, at 21 1-2 mills,	\$87,807 61
On personal estate valued at \$877,737, “ “ “	18,871 34
On 2374 polls, at \$3.00,	7,122 00
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	\$113,800 95
For State Tax,	\$15,482 76
For County Tax,	6,324 24
For Municipal Appropriations,	89,700 00
For Overlayings,	2,293 95
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	\$113,800 95

H. C. MORSE,
J. F. ELDEN,
NATH'L MEADER,

City Assessors.

Report of Board of Health.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

The Board of Health beg leave to submit for your consideration the following report:

During the year the members have responded to 97 calls to remove public nuisances, all of which have been removed or put in a much better condition.

In most instances we have found the property owners willing to comply to our requests, but in a few cases we have been obliged to explain the law to them in no unmistakable terms.

A large number of householders during the last year have connected their buildings with the sewer, through the advice of the Board, and we urge many more to do so at their earliest convenience, as it is only a question of time before all houses on streets where there is a sewer must either be connected or vacated; and for the benefit of those who may think that they cannot be obliged so to do, we refer them to Article Six of the Plumbing Regulations of the Board of Health of the City of Waterville, approved June 26, 1889.

The sewerage system needs extension, as there are some streets, thickly settled, where no sewer has been laid, and many requests have been made to the Board by the owners asking if they could not have a sewer; and we urge that this matter receive your attention in the near future.

We wish to add emphasis to some recent remarks made by His Honor the Mayor in regard to recognizing the necessity of taking some action in regard to Hayden Brook.

It would surprise many who have not looked into the matter to know the amount of sewerage that is deposited in this brook and the number of times that said brook crosses the streets from its source until it empties into the Messalonskee, and during the

summer it is filthy beyond description; and it is a matter of congratulation that there has not been more sickness through that section of the city.

During the year there has been reported to the Board the following number of contagious diseases:

Typhoid fever,	22
Diphtheria,	9
Scarlet fever,	5

Both measles and German measles have been very prevalent. There have also been a few cases of whooping-cough; also of chicken pox. The fumigating has been done in a most efficient manner by Dr. A. Joly.

We wish to urge upon all who are in any way connected with the management of any of the contagious diseases, the necessity of using the utmost precaution to prevent them from spreading, and thereby not only saving loss of life but preventing many children from having their usefulness impaired by the ravages even of some of the so-called minor diseases.

All physicians and parents should report all suspicious cases to the Board at once. Undertakers, when called to care for the remains of those having died from any contagious disease, should consult with the Board before accepting the responsibility.

As great a hardship as it may seem to be to some to be quarantined for several weeks, it is the only proper thing to do, and is simply carrying out the plan "of the greatest good to the greatest number."

We wish to express our thanks to all who have in any way, in the past, assisted the Board in trying to make the beautiful city of Waterville a healthful resort for its inhabitants as well as for any visitor who may chance to be here either for business or pleasure.

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. ELDEN,

A. JOLY, D. V. S.,

L. G. BUNKER, M. D., SEC'Y,

Board of Health.

Report of City Physician.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

I herewith submit my report as City Physician for the municipal year ending January 31, 1901:

Confinement,	1
Operation for Necrosis of elbow joint,	1
Calls at Alms House,	48
Calls in other parts of City,	317
Calls at office,	38
Salary,	\$200 00

During the year my work at the Alms House has been made very easy through the good judgment of Mr. and Mrs. Rowe, and their most excellent care of the inmates when sick, and I wish to suggest to those citizens of Waterville who go among the poor and tell them that our Alms House is not a fit place for them to go to and that the inmates do not receive proper care, that they are not only defaming those who are in charge of the poor department, but are doing many of our most worthy unfortunates a great injustice; and there is no better way for them to become convinced than to accompany the City Physician on his rounds for a few times and notice the great difference between the cheerfulness of the inmates of the Alms House, who have good comfortable rooms, well ventilated, well warmed in winter, and a plenty of good plain food served in a commodious dining-room, as compared with the condition of many outside who lack not only all of the above, but in time of sickness have no one to keep their rooms in a healthful condition, to prepare proper food, to give their medicine, etc. Yet in many of these cases, the cost to the city for their support is several times larger than the cost per capita of those at the Alms House.

In the future, I trust that those who are inclined to criticise our Alms House, will first investigate.

I wish to express my appreciation to several of the physicians of Waterville who have kindly rendered me assistance during the year.

I have found Mr. Knauff very willing to furnish needed supplies and all possible assistance in every case that I have reported to him.

Respectfully submitted,

L. G. BUNKER, M. D., *City Physician.*

Liquor Agent's Report.

Cr.

Paid Treasurer from Sales of Liquor,	\$2,696 49
Liquor furnished Poor Dept.,	8 60
Stock and Fixtures, Feb. 1, 1901,	2,275 60
	<hr/> \$4,980 69

Dr.

Stock and Fixtures, Feb. 1, 1900,	\$1,870 59	
J. W. Wakefield, State Liquor Agent,	2,688 16	
J. D. Hayden, Liquor Agent,	376 00	
S. A. & A. B. Green, fuel,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$4,936 75
Balance profit for year,		<hr/> \$ 43 94

NOTE—Other expenses than those noted above, paid from sales of liquor, without going through the regular rolls.

J. D. HAYDEN, *Agent.*

Building Inspector's Report.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

The following list of buildings built and repaired in the year ending Feb. 1, 1901, is respectfully submitted by your Building Inspector:

Pearl Libby, Dwelling House, Seavey street. Main house, 2 stories, 24x30; ell, 18x21. Cost about \$1,800.

Frank Town, Dwelling House, Spring street. (Stable remodeled to a house.) Cost about \$1,200.

Henry Cyr, Dwelling House, Summer street. Main house, 2 stories, 27x26; ell, 19x24. Bay window, piazza and portico. Shed, 1 story 10x14. Cost about \$2,500.

Frank Brochue, Dwelling House, Kennebec street. Main house, 1 1-2 stories, 21x26; ell, 15x18. Piazza and portico. Cost about \$1,500.

Mrs. Nellie Murray, Double Tenement Dwelling, Ticonic street. Main house, 2 stories, 32x46. Portico. Two sheds, 10x15 each. Cost about \$2,700.

Geo. Corthell, Cottage, Boutelle avenue. Main house, 1 1-2 stories, 30x30; ell, 15x23. Cost about \$2,000.

Howard Morse, Grist Mill, Toward street, 35x50—25 ft. post. Cost about \$3,500.

Appleton Webb, Dwelling House, Pleasant street. Main house, 2 stories, 47x24. Two bay windows and portico. Ell, 1 story, 11x17. Cost about \$2,000.

Dr. John Town, Cottage, School street. House, 17x25; wing, 12x18. Bay window, portico and piazza. Cost about \$1,000.

Fred Getchell, Dwelling House, Riverside court. Main house, 22x28; ell, 16x30. Piazza and bay window. Cost about \$2,000.

James Graney, Cottage, Redington street. Main house, 21x27;

wing, 16x14; shed, 12x14. Portico and piazza. Cost about \$1,600.

Mrs. W. B. Arnold, Cottage, Western avenue. Main house, 30x30. Ell and piazza. Cost about \$2,000.

Levi Bushey, Cottage, Kelsey street. Main house, 26x30; ell, 14x20; wing, 3x15. 1 bay window, 3 dormer windows and piazza. Cost about \$2,000.

Walter Lapham, Store and Dwelling, Corner Kelsey and Ticonic streets. (Beef Co. Building moved there and fitted for tenement.) Cost about \$1,500.

William Lincoln, Dwelling House, Spring street. Main house, 2 stories, 24x34; shed, 1 story, 8x12. Cost about \$2,000.

Mrs. J. G. Darrah, 2 Dwellings, Corner Nudd and Winter streets, (2 single tenement dwellings.) Cost about \$3,500 each.

A. G. Bowie, Upper College avenue, old school building refitted for double tenement dwellings. Cost about \$2,500.

Sawyer Publishing Co., Building, Corner Ticonic and Chaplin streets. Brick vaults attached. Cost about \$7,500.

Prof. Wm. Elder, Addition to Dwelling, Elm street. Cost about \$223.

Mrs. Geo. Healey, Dwelling House, Front street. Main house, 2 stories, 25x28; ell, 15x16. 1 bay window, 1 portico, shed, 10x10. Cost about \$2,100.

Levi Butler, Dwelling, College avenue. Main house, 2 stories, 47 1-2x25; ell, 14x15; wing, 12x4. Two bay windows and portico. Cost about \$2,500.

P. M. Libby, Dwelling, Morrill avenue. Main house, 2 stories, 28x38. Cost about \$2,000.

Wardwell, Dwelling House, Park place. Cost about \$2,500.

Mrs. Tufts, Stable, Charles street. (Covered with corrugated iron.) Cost about \$300.

L. H. Soper, Stable, Elm street. Cost about \$2,500.

C. S. Hersom, Dwelling House, Dalton street. Main house 2 stories 34x34. Piazza and portico. Cost about \$2000.

Dr. J. L. Fortier, Block, Water street. 3 stories to be occupied as stores and dwellings. Cost about \$4,500.

John Deehan, Dwelling House, Elm street. Main house 2 stories 47x24, ell 1 story 11x12, 2 bay windows and piazza. Cost about \$2300.

Fred Terry, Dwelling, Silver street.

(Remodelling Nat'l Meader house and addition added).

J. D. HAYDEN, *Inspector*.

Milk Inspector's Report.

Waterville, Me., Jan. 31, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report for the year ending January 31, 1901.

Eighty-two persons selling milk have been recorded at my office during the current year, a decrease of twelve from the previous year. These twelve had been selling milk from their residences.

I have tested with the Babcock test and Quevenne Lactometre one hundred and sixty samples of milk which averaged four per cent. of butter fat. Only three samples were found below the standard. In one case the milk showed only one per cent. of butter fat, showing that the cream had been removed. The seller was notified to stop selling milk, otherwise he would be prosecuted.

No preservatives of any kind or coloring matters have been found in the samples tested.

I have also visited the dairies of our milk producers and milk pedlers, such inspections consisting of a physical examination of cows, sanitary condition of the premises, ventilation and drainage of barns, water supply, feeding of cattle, etc.

As a whole, they are kept in very good condition though, in some places, proper ventilation and improvements were recommended.

The most of the retail trade is supplied from glass bottles, and in my opinion their use ought to be abolished. Nothing prevents a pedler from taking an empty bottle, apparently clean, from one customer, fill it out of his can on the wagon, then pass it to the next. No better way for the transmission of infectious diseases could be devised, because these bottles find their way into houses in which scarlet fever, diphtheria, or other contagious diseases may be.

These bottles may be loaded with germs of disease, and unless thoroughly sterilized, be the means of spreading these diseases indefinitely. Cases for which no cause apparently existed may have originated in this manner. To properly sterilize the bottles involves a great loss of breakage, as putting them in hot water of sufficiently high temperature to destroy the germs, means the destruction of a large per cent. of the bottles; while washing in warm or tepid water will not destroy the germs.

On these grounds alone the facts are indisputably against their use.

Consumers who insist upon using bottles, may furnish their own, having them filled at their own residences at the time of delivery.

The handling and selling of milk is to all one of most vital interest, and should be treated as such, not only by the Board of Health, but by every consumer in the city.

Respectfully submitted,

A. JOLY, D. V. S., *Milk Inspector.*

Pine Grove Cemetery.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

The undersigned herewith present their report of the receipts and disbursements on account of Pine Grove Cemetery, for the year ending January 31st, 1901.

RECEIPTS.

Dr.

1900.

Jan. 31, Cash on hand,	\$ 701 83
Dividend Lockwood Co. stock, Feb. 1 and Aug. 1, 1900,	60 00
Dividend Ticonic Nat'l Bank, July 2, 1890, and Jan. 1, 1901,	140 00
Interest on City of Waterville Note (\$5,000)	100 00
Coupons on Boothbay Harbor Bonds, Aug. 22, 1900, and Jan. 22, 1901,	120 00
Coupons on Maine Central R. R. Consols, Aug. 22, 1900, and Jan. 22, 1901,	7 00
Mrs. Julia A. Dunton, Lot No. 51,	50 00
	\$1,178 83

FOR PERPETUAL CARE OF LOTS.

R. W. Dunn,	\$ 100 00
Martin Blaisdell,	100 00
Geo. E. Shores,	100 00
S. K. Smith,	100 00
J. R. Melcher,	100 00

Julia A Dunton,	\$100 00
H. H. Eames,	100 00
Mrs. M. E. Bean,	100 00
Mrs. Josephine E. Dow,	100 00
J. G. Darrah,	100 00
M. C. Foster,	100 00
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	\$1,100 00

CASH RECEIVED BY F. REDINGTON.

FOR SALE OF LOTS, VIZ:

Chas. D. Sayward,	Lot No. 917	P. G. E.	\$30 00
Mrs. S. A. Maguire,	" " 748		15 00
Joseph Gilcott,	" " 728	(west half)	15 00
W. A. Farr,	" " 804	P. G. E.	40 00
Mrs. James G. Young,	" " 846	P. G. E.	60 00
Alice A. Brown,	" " 829	P. G. E.	40 00
W. P. Putnam,	" " 22	S. E. D.	50 00
Geo. D. Lindsay,	" " 55	S. E. D.	50 00
Colby F. Getchell,	" " "	P. G. E.	25 00
Mrs. Seth Downs,	" " 750		15 00
Geo. E. Scott,	" " 746		15 00
Ida M. Taylor,	" " 868	P. G. E.	60 00
Geo. Woods,	" " 820	P. G. E.	50 00
C. J. Tupper,	" " 815		50 00
S. E. Stinneford,	1-2 " " 1373	P. G. E.	10 00
Geo. Hallowell,	" " 878	P. G. E.	40 00
Wm. B. Barton,	1-2 " " 850	P. G. E.	20 00
Chas. H. Barton,	1-2 " " 850	P. G. E.	20 00
Edwin Towne,	" " 28	S. E. D.	50 00

\$655 00

445 25

For care of Lots, as per schedule,
 For labor of men making graves,
 Frank Ranco, old fence,

\$58 00

5 00

Wm. Ranco, hay,	\$10 00	
F. J. Lewis, painting fence,	10 00	
J. G. Darrah, grading lot,	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 93 00
Total receipts,		<hr/> \$3,472 08

DISBURSEMENTS.

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J. L. Merrick & Co., trees and shrubbery,	\$198 35	
W. B. Arnold & Co., supplies,	47 83	
W. & F. Railway & Light Co.,	30 00	
W. B. Arnold, Ex'r, care of W. H. and J. Arnold lots,	75 00	
Fred Pooler, gravel, etc.,	180 08	
Deposit in Savings Bank,	350 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 881 26

CASH PAID OUT BY F. REDINGTON.

Labor of men, as per schedule,		\$1,225 73
Mrs. Reed, flowers for Gilman lot,	\$ 5 60	
Redington & Co., labor and envelopes,	44 35	
H. A. Cummings & Co., printing,	4 00	
Amos Stark, filling urns, Weed lot,	3 00	
F. S. Brown, electric motor,	2 90	
W. M. Lincoln & Co., grass seed,	9 50	
Smalley & White, cleaning grave stones,	7 50	
John Burleigh, surveying,	10 00	
Louis Pooler, sharpening picks,	20	
Chas. Withee, trees,	10 00	
Geo. Ranco, trees,	16 80	
W. T. Reynolds, lumber,	8 10	
Geo. Simpson, police service,	26 00	
A. M. & H. Redington, typewriting,	6 00	
F. E. Brown, making deeds,	12 50	
Fred Pooler, loam,	63	
	<hr/>	\$ 167 08

F. Redington, services on Com.,	\$ 125 00
W. B. Arnold, Treas. and services on Committee,	50 00
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Total disbursements,	\$2,449 07
Cash on hand,	1,023 01
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	\$3,472 08

ASSETS OF PINE GROVE CEMETERY.

February 1, 1901.

31 Shares Ticonic National Bank Stock, at par,	\$3,100 00
10 Shares Lockwood Company Stock, at par,	1,000 00
Maine Central Company Consol,	100 00
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	\$4,200 00

TRUST FUNDS HELD BY THE CITY FOR CEMETERY.

Town of Boothbay Harbor Bonds,	\$3,000 00
City of Waterville Temporary Loan,	5,000 00
4 Shares Ticonic National Bank Stock, at par,	400 00
Temporary Deposit Waterville Savings Bank,	1,000 00
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	\$9,400 00

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. ARNOLD,
FRANK REDINGTON,
H. B. SNELL,

Committee of Pine Grove Cemetery.

Miscellaneous Accounts.

BELLS AND CLOCKS.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$75 00
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	\$75 00

Dr.

H. G. Tozier, care of Universalist clock,	\$18 75
Unitarian Society, use of clock,	50 00
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Total amt. warrants drawn,	\$68 75
Balance undrawn, credited Misc. Acc't,	6 25
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	\$75 00

CITY HALL.

Cr.

By Rent,	\$540 50
By transferred from Misc. Acct.	52 55
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	\$593 05

Dr.

S. H. Chase, salary and cash paid out,	\$241 40
Waterville & Fairfield R'y & L't Co., lights,	200 00
S. A. & A. B. Green, fuel,	95 45
G. S. Flood & Co., fuel,	14 25
Hanson, Webber & Dunham, mdse.,	10 18
W. B. Arnold & Co., mdse.,	15 47
Whitcomb & Cannon, mdse.,	3 96

Redington & Co.,	\$ 5 00
Wells & Thomas, hauling rubbish,	3 25
B. P. Wells, hauling rubbish,	2 25
W. F. Kennison, labor,	1 84
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	\$ 593 05

COUPONS.

Cr.

Balance unpaid Feb. 1, 1900,	\$ 3,778 00
Appropriation,	9,325 00
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	\$ 13,103 00

Dr.

F. A. Knauff, Treasurer,	\$ 10,850 00
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Balance unpaid and outstanding,	\$ 2,253 00
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	\$ 13,103 00

BONDS.

Cr.

Bonded Debt,	\$220,000 00
Bonds due Sept. 1, 1900,	10,000 00
Bonds issued Sept. 1, 1900,	10,000 00
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	\$240,000 00

Dr.

F. A. Knauff, Treasurer,	\$ 10,000 00
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Outstanding,	\$230,000 00
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	\$240,000 00

COUNTY TAX.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$6,324 24
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Dr.

J. E. Blanchard, County Treasurer,	\$6,324 24
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STATE TAX.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$15,482 76
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Dr.

F M. Simpson, State Treasurer,	\$15,482 76
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CURRENT EXPENSES.

Cr.

Appropriation, ,	\$6,000 00
Transferred from Miscellaneous Account,	351 47

	\$6,351 47
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Dr.

W. C. Philbrook, Mayor, salary,	\$ 500 00
F. A. Knauff, Treasurer, salary,	150 00
F. A. Knauff, Collector, commission, 1897-98-99-1900,	1,160 45
F. K. Shaw, Judge of Municipal Court, salary and cash paid out,	911 60
F. E. Brown, salary as City Clerk and Clerk of Board of Registration,	235 55
C. E. Matthews, services, Board of Registration,	165 00
F. J. Goodridge, " " " "	132 00
E. H. Crowell, " " " "	132 00

City Assessors, salary and cash paid out,	\$607 00
D. P. Foster, City Solicitor, salary,	300 00
H. D. Bates, Auditor, salary,	75 00
J. D. Hayden, Inspector of Buildings, salary,	50 00
Dr. A. Joly, services, Milk Inspector and Member Board of Health,	125 00
Dr. L. G. Bunker, services, Sec'y Board of Health,	50 00
J. F. Elden, services, Board of Health,	25 00
Walter E. Noble, Clerk of Common Council, salary,	68 75
Assistant Assessors, services,	123 85
Wardens, Ward and Ballot Clerks, services,	357 00
Silas Peavy, rent of City Rooms,	300 00
A. T. Shurtleff, rent of Armory and cash paid out,	153 25
Victoria Arnold, rent,	120 00
Thomas King, janitor,	128 50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone rental,	31 15
Town of Sidney, taxes,	19 17
Mail Publishing Co., ballots, election blanks, etc.,	101 50
Maine Central R. R. Co., rent of land,	5 00
Dr. A. E. Bessey, birth and death certificates,	8 00
E. L. Craig, land rent,	52 00
Fred Pooler, rent of land for dumping purposes,	100 00
A. H. Woods, labor,	9 00
Colby Getchell, serving notices account election,	45 26
W. W. Edwards, " " " "	12 72
J. P. Hill, " " " "	34 72
Geo. E. Simpson, " " " "	1 75
A. M. & H. Redington, typewriting orders and reports,	31 75
G. S. Flood & Co., fuel,	7 50
P. H. Plaisted, mdse.,	3 00
Alden & Deehan, mdse.,	19 00
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	\$6,351 47

INTEREST BEARING NOTES.

Cr.

Outstanding Feb. 1, 1900,	\$20,000 00
Issued since,	44,000 00
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	\$64,000 00

Dr.

F. A. Knauff, Treasurer	\$33,000 00
Waterville Savings Bank,	5,000 00
Olive P. Bunker,	3,000 00
Erastus Warren,	1,500 00
Mrs. Aroline E. Hall,	1,000 00
Annie L. Hall,	500 00
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	\$44,000 00
Outstanding,	20,000 00
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	\$64,000 00

INTEREST.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$1,500 00
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	\$1,500 00

Dr.

Waterville Savings Bank,	\$394 44
Merchants National Bank,	60 00
Peoples National Bank,	91 67
Pine Grove Cemetery Committee,	100 00
Olive P. Bunker,	120 00
Mrs. F. A. Waldron,	120 00
Erastus Warren,	60 00
Mrs. Sarah J. Scribner,	40 00

Mrs. Aroline E. Hall,	\$ 40 00
Annie L. Hall,	20 00
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Total amount warrants drawn,	\$1,046 11
Balance undrawn, credited Misc. Acc't,	453 89
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	\$1,500 00

MAINE WATER CO.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$2,400 00
Amt. transferred from Misc. Acc't to balance,	98 75
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	\$2,498 75

Dr.

Maine Water Co., furnishing water,	\$2,498 75
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PARKS.

Appropriation,	\$ 150 00
Transferred from Miscellaneous Acc't,	4 50
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	\$ 154 50

Dr.

G. W. Bushey, care of parks,	\$ 120 00
Geo. F. Davies, painting signs,	9 85
L. H. Fletcher, repairing lawn mower,	1 00
W. B. Arnold & Co., supplies,	14 05
G. L. Learned & Co., supplies and labor,	9 60
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	\$ 154 50

WATERVILLE FREE LIBRARY.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$500 00
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Dr.

H. D. Bates, Treasurer,	\$500 00
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PRINTING.

Appropriation,	\$350 00
Dr.	
Mail Pub. Co., City Reports, specimen ballots, sub- pœnas, Auditor's reports, etc.,	\$270 10
H. A. Cummings & Co., blanks, etc.,	47 43
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Total amount warrants drawn,	\$317 53
Balance undrawn credited Misc. Acc't,	32 47
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	\$350 00

SMALL POX.

Cr.	
By Transferred to Miscellaneous Account,	\$134 47
Dr.	
George W. Raney, police services,	\$ 4 00
Town of Winslow, furnishing supplies,	130 47
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Overdrawn,	\$134 47

STATE PENSIONS.

Dr.	
To paid Soldiers and Soldiers' Widows by City Treasurer,	\$648 00
Cr.	
By cash from State Treasurer,	\$648 00

W. S. HEATH POST, G. A. R.

Cr.	
Appropriation,	\$100 00
Dr.	
A. O. Libby, Q. M.,	\$100 00

STREET LIGHTS.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$4,500 00
Freight from National Carbon Co.,	1 96
Discount on bill,	23 84
Transferred from Miscellaneous Account,	373 25
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	\$4,899 05

Dr.

Waterville & Fairfield R'y & L't Co., lights and care of same,	\$2,972 31
Thos. Landry, Jr., salary, etc.,	510 85
Pettingell-Andrews Co., supplies,	25 50
National Carbon Co., carbons,	150 96
Helios-Upton Co., lamps,	1,191 80
General Electric Co., supplies,	10 95
Maine Central R. R. Co., freight charges,	16 00
Chas. Coro, labor,	4 29
Jos. Landry, labor,	6 00
Levi Ranco, labor,	1 35
Hanson, Webber & Dunham, mdse.,	5 54
G. S. Flood & Co., fuel,	3 50
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	\$4,899 05

MISCELLANEOUS.

1901.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$10,000 00
Interest and Costs, Tax sales,	52 30
Municipal Court Costs,	178 82
Licenses, carriage, billiard, dog, etc.,	354 00
Dog licenses refunded,	165 46

Error in bills,	\$ 6 43
Overlayings, 1900,	2,293 95
Sale School-house lot,	1,200 00
Bill passed twice,	29 27
Premium on \$10,000 bonds,	626 00
Fees and costs, County Treasurer,	520 66
Armory rent,	100 00
R. R. and Tel. tax,	1,158 63
Interest on taxes, 1897-98-99-00,	1,302 17
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., use of City poles,	21 25

Sundry credits, Balance of accounts transferred:

From Interest,	\$ 453 89	
“ Printing,	32 47	
“ Bells & Clocks,	6 25	
“ New Streets,	470 38	
“ New Sidewalks,	709 01	
“ Police,	13 81	
“ Sewers,	1,127 83	
“ Support of Poor,	1,131 47	
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		\$21,954 05

Dr.

Loring, Short & Harmon, registration and ward books, etc.,	\$ 123 30
Heath & Andrews, fees, cost and interest, Water Co. vs. City,	1,155 29
Boston Bank Note Co., making bonds,	55 00
Buffalo Pitts Co., road roller,	3,300 00
F. M. Simpson, State Treasurer, dog licenses for 1900,	200 00
Maine Water Co., changing hydrants, etc.,	98 40
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service,	112 38
Mail Publishing Co., blanks, etc.,	58 75
Maine Central R. R. Co., freight on carbons,	98 05

Ticonic Aqueduct Society, rent of land on Front St.,	\$ 4 30
American Express Co., express charges,	4 55
Hoyt's Express Co., express charges,	1 10
J. J. Pray, et als., award for land damages,	150 00
Harvey D. Eaton, legal services, Maine Water Co. vs. City of Waterville.	250 00
W. M. Dunn, P. M., stamped envelopes and stamps,	23 04
Dr. A. Joly, services account Board of Health, fum- igating, etc.,	63 00
Dr. F. C. Thayer, services account F. Woodbury,	3 00
Dr. C. G. Rancourt, birth certificates,	21 25
Dr. J. L. Fortier, birth and death certificates,	22 50
Dr. Ralph H. Pulsifer, birth and death certificates,	1 25
Dr. W. M. Pulsifer, birth certificates,	2 00
Waterville Iron Works, catch basins, etc.,	111 98
Proctor & Bowie Co., contract account Winter St. culvert, etc.,	1,891 00
Redington & Co., mdse.,	3 18
W. B. Arnold & Co., mdse.,	2 29
W. D. Spaulding, mdse.,	14 83
W. M. Lincoln & Co., mdse.,	3 56
Philip H. Plaisted, mdse.,	35 00
G. S. Flood & Co., fuel,	52 46
S. A. & A. B. Green, fuel,	10 00
Grondin & Poulin, mdse. and storing stoves,	15 17
Jos. H. Groder, hack and labor,	5 00
H. B. Snell & Co., casket, teams, etc.,	35 00
C. A. Henrickson, mdse.,	75
A. M. & H. Redington, typewriting orders, reports etc., making check lists, rolls of account, etc.,	196 70
F. E. Brown, recording births and deaths, and cash paid out,	77 80
Chas. B. Davis, summoning witnesses account fire inquests and cash paid out,	5 81
Geo. E. Shores, taxes overpaid,	21 00

G. A. Warren, dinners election day,	\$ 17 15
E. Gilpatrick, supplies and labor,	60 48
L. H. Fletcher, repairing sprinkler,	1 00
F. E. Moore, ink, etc.,	2 35
J. W. Lemont estate,	42
John Cote, hauling sprinkler,	7 00
Rev. G. D. B. Pepper, services—City Government,	5 00
J. W. Bassett, appraisal services, Pray damages,	5 18
F. E. McFadden, “ “ “ “	5 18
F. L. Thayer, “ “ “ “	5 12
G. L. Learned & Co., supplies and labor,	7 50
Alden & Deehan, mdse.,	3 25
D. P. Foster, expenses in suits vs. City,	42 58
Geo. D. Loring, books,	2 50
A. T. Shurtleff, labor,	7 00
G. H. Simpson, killing unlicensed dogs, and serving notices,	46 00
Geo. G. Adams, expenses,	12 69
Ellery F. Brann, labor,	14 00
Geo. Wood, watering place, and labor for Board of Health,	6 00
G. M. Donham, Maine Registers,	6 00
I. E. Getchell, surveying,	10 00
A. M. Dunbar, recutting seal,	2 00
Dow & Burrill, labor and supplies,	11 00
F. A. Knauff, cash paid out,	10 60
John H. Burleigh, surveying,	3 00
J. Fields Murry, dinners election day,	1 40
Harvey N. Bragdon, dinners election day,	6 15
Thomas King, services as janitor Board of Registra- tion, Superior Court, etc.,	53 25
Jessie Whitcomb, carriage hire,	4 55
Archer Taylor, carriage hire,	6 50
Deane E. Taylor, carriage hire,	75
B. P. Wells, hauling rubbish,	2 40

Wells & Thomas, trucking,	\$ 3 75
City Assessors, attendance at State Board meeting,	7 00
H. H. Foster, ballot clerk,	3 00
W. F. Norman, labor,	3 00
S. F. Brann, labor on fence,	40 00
M. Frye, ice,	10 00
Jos. Godreau, bounty on three wild cats,	6 00
Adelarde Halde, use of stand-pipe, 1898-1900,	20 00
Fred T. Mason, Jr., 2 lambs killed by dogs,	5 00
H. C. Proctor, labor,	14 00
Chas. R. Shorey, labor,	50
Geo. H. Ranco, labor,	50
I. S. Bangs, insurance,	43 26
M. E. Redington, copying registration books,	53 00
George Gurney, labor,	35 00
H. A. Cummings & Co., printing,	3 75
S. A. Dickinson, mdse.,	1 25
Hanson, Webber & Dunham, mdse.,	60
Ira A. Mitchell, teams,	16 00
Mrs. Maria Razor, cleaning,	75
Mrs. Henry Rupprecht, cleaning,	2 00
Mrs. A. Ellis, “	1 00
Mrs. Carrie Ellis, “	5 00
Mrs. Angie Libby, “	75
Annie King, “	1 25
James P. Hill, serving notices,	6 82
Geo. Vigue, witness at fire inquest,	62
Geo. Raney, “ “ “ “	62
H. M. Fuller, “ “ “ “	62
Sam Levin, “ “ “ “	62
Hyman Rosenthal, “ “ “ “	62
Wm. Levin, “ “ “ “	62
Mrs. Wm. Levin, “ “ “ “	62
C. E. Bushey, “ “ “ “	62

Maine Water Co., (warrants transferred from Maine Water Co. to Miscellaneous,)	\$ 3,980 61
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Total amounts warrants drawn,	\$12,865 44
Abatements,	1,774 61
Amount transferred to Overdrawn Acc'ts,	4,071 42
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	\$18,711 47
Credited City of Waterville Acc't, being balance between Undrawn and Overdrawn Acc'ts,	3,242 58
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	\$21,954 05

Street Department.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Waterville :

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report as Commissioner of Streets and Sewers for the year ending Jan. 31, 1901.

The principal expenditures in this Department during the year have been as follows:

Snow bills and clearing the streets of ice in February, March and April, 1900, amounted to	\$3,500 00
Snow bills for November, December and January amounted to	1,014 00
Silver street was macadamized from Spring street to Silver Place, a surface of 2,228 square yards, using 890 tons of stone, 8,175 paving blocks, and 1,150 feet of curbing. The total cost of this work was	\$2,908 48

Gilman street Bridge has been rebuilt; the west abutment being newly built from the bottom, taking 3,500 feet of logs. The bridge was newly timbered for 150 feet, caps put on the spiles, new stringers, planking and rail were put in, requiring 16,500 feet of sawed lumber, so that 20,000 feet of lumber were used.

Crommett's Mills Bridge has been replanked, taking 3,575 feet plank.

Silver street Bridge has also been replanked, taking 4,100 feet plank.

The water-way across the Water Company's land at the pumping station has been rebuilt for 80 feet, with logs, and covered with plank.

Three new culverts have been built; one at Wentworth court,

22 feet long; one at the Alms House, of logs and covered with plank, 26 feet long; and one at Penny Hill, of logs, covered with plank, 60 feet long.

The abutment on Water street has been topped, taking 1,400 feet logs and the street graded.

Twenty thousand feet Spruce Plank have been bought for making driveways and repairing culverts, of which 3,000 feet are now on hand.

A new road machine has been purchased, costing \$200.00.

The trees about the city have been trimmed, costing \$78.00.

The "Rangeway" has been repaired and a water-way blasted through the ledge, costing \$150.00.

Four stone cross-walks have been put in, viz:

One at Seavey street,	33 feet.
One on Main street, at Brook street,	39 "
One on Brook street, at Main street,	38 "
One on Sherwin street, at Summer street,	30 "

The following streets and roads have been graded and graveled:

College Ave., at the Brick Yard, 15 in. deep,	450 feet.
Deer Park street, owing to soft bottom, was filled 18 in. deep,	500 "
Water street, graveled and graded,	1,640 "
Boutelle avenue, " " "	700 "
Sanger street, " " "	500 "
Kelsey street, " " "	900 "
Seavey street, " " filled,	80 "

The River Road by the Webb school-house has been graveled; also from Webb school-house to Cousin's, taking 400 loads of gravel.

Sidewalks have been recoated and charged to Street Department, as follows:

College street,	500 feet
Water street,	820 "

Gray street,	100 feet
Gold street,	200 "
Winter street,	150 "
Nudd street,	100 "
Redington street,	1,360 "
Lawrence street,	250 "
Prospect street,	150 "

The sods on the edge of some of the concrete walks have been washed and worn away, so that it has been necessary to put down 1,700 feet of sods for a turf edging.

SEWERS.

The following sewers have been put in:

Toward street sewer, not being large enough, was relaid with 258 feet, 10 inch pipe, and all the connections made with it that were in the old sewer.

Prospect street sewer has been extended 142 feet, with 10 inch pipe with 5 Ys.

Seventeen new catch basins have been put in as follows:

- 4 on Water street, one of which is at Joe Tardiff's, one at factory, one at Paul Marshall's, and one at Rainey's store.
- 1 back of George Richardson's store on Gold street.
- 1 in Sheldon Place, at Mr. Perkins's.
- 1 on Walnut street, at John Phillips's.
- 1 corner College Avenue and Myrtle street.
- 2 corner College Avenue and Main street.
- 1 corner Pleasant street and North street.
- 1 corner Kennebec street and Water street.
- 1 at W. B. Arnold's on Silver street.
- 1 on Toward street, by Creamery.
- 1 on College Avenue, by Elmwood.
- 1 corner of Sherwin and Water streets.
- 1 on Western Avenue, by Mrs. Brown's.

SIDEWALKS.

The following concrete sidewalks have been built:

Appleton street, 75 square yards concrete, 116 1-2 feet curbing.

East side Main street, 148 3-4 square yards, concrete.

West side Main street, recoated, 179 square yards.

Water street, by South Grammar School, has been graded and filled 400 feet and 362 1-2 feet curbing set ready for concrete in the spring.

Western Avenue Sidewalk has been built from the bridge at Crommett's Mills to the four corners, 3,490 feet; 1,890 feet plank, 1,600 feet gravel; taking 7,200 feet plank, 300 ties and 200 loads gravel.

NEW STREETS.

Burleigh street has been opened up and the hill at Western avenue graded down about 3 feet, costing \$29.62; so that \$470.38 of the appropriation for New Streets is still unused.

Respectfully submitted,

S. A. GREEN, *Street Commissioner.*

STREETS.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$11,000 00
Refunded,	26 40
W. & F. Railway & Light Co.,	84 15
Sundries,	34 25
Transferred from Paving,	1,200 00
Transferred from Ticonic Bridge,	242 33
Town of Winslow, account Ticonic Bridge,	105 36
L. H. Soper,	15 00
Transferred from Miscellaneous account,	2,682 91
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	\$15,390 40

Dr.

F. A. Knauff, Treasurer, pay rolls,	\$10,897 28
S. A. Green, Street Commissioner, salary and cash paid out,	905 05
Maine & New Hampshire Granite Co., crushed stone,	90 00
Buffalo Pitts Co., oil	4 00
Hallowell Granite Works, paving blocks and curbing,	553 96
Lawrence, Newhall & Page Co., supplies,	653 82
Waterville & Fairfield Railway & Light Co., use of motor, and lights for stone crusher,	136 95
Waterville Granite Co., curbing, crosswalks, etc.,	519 83
Lockwood Co., sand, tubing and labor,	49 26
Maine Central R. R. Co., freight charges,	76 04
American Express Co., express charges,	2 95
Proctor & Bowie Co., pine and labor on bridge,	251 59
Horace Purinton & Co., brick,	7 00
E. Gilpatrick, lumber and labor,	49 27
A. B. Black, road machine,	200 00
Mail Pub. Co., time slips, etc.	5 50
L. Dunbar, gravel,	115 80
J. Bartlett, gravel,	31 80
Jos. Tardiff, gravel,	70 50
Fred Pooler, sod and loam,	18 95
A. J. Alden, gravel,	37 60
Geo. Balentine, gravel,	32 00
Sophia Murray, sand,	9 23
W. T. Haines, stone,	36 29
Chas. Withee, hemlock,	34 92
Sylvester Witham, road across field,	15 00
John H. Burleigh, surveying,	39 95
Geo. W. Tibbetts, 1 die,	20 00
H. A. Savage & Co., labor,	10 47
J. A. Davison, labor and supplies,	35 91
Levi Ronco, repairing tools, etc.,	4 40
L. H. Fletcher, labor and supplies,	10 32

B. A. Kimball, labor and repairs,	\$ 30 02
Olivier Rancourt, repairing road machine, etc.,	15 59
Wm. H. Stanley, public watering trough,	6 00
Fred S. Varney, public watering trough,	6 00
W. H. Savage, trimming trees, etc.,	102 15
S. A. & A. B. Green, fuel,	109 21
Hanson, Webber & Dunham, supplies,	49 60
W. B. Arnold & Co., supplies,	120 19
G. L. Learned & Co., labor and supplies,	26 00
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	\$15,390 40

NEW STREETS.

	Cr.	
Appropriation,		\$ 500 00
	Dr.	
F. A. Knauff, Treasurer, pay roll,		\$ 29 62
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Total amount warrants drawn,		\$ 29 62
Balance undrawn, credited Misc. Acc't,		470 38
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		\$ 500 00

NEW SIDEWALKS.

	Cr.	
Appropriation,		\$1,500 00
	Dr.	
F. A. Knauff, Treasurer, pay rolls,		\$ 319 31
Thomas Loftus, laying concrete sidewalk,		261 30
E. Gilpatrick, plank,		99 62
Waterville Granite Co., curbing,		56 16
H. A. Toward, sleepers,		15 00
L. Dunbar, gravel,		20 00
A. J. Alden, gravel,		3 60
J. Bartlett, gravel,		4 70

Jos. Tardiff, gravel,	\$ 3 30
John H. Burleigh, surveying,	2 00
W. B. Arnold & Co., spikes,	6 00
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Total amount warrants drawn,	\$ 790 99
Balance undrawn, credited Misc. Acc't,	709 01
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	\$1,500 00

SEWERS.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$2,000 00
Permits,	286 11
S. A. Green,	2 30
J. J. Marshall,	2 03
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	\$2,290 44

Dr.

F. A. Knauff, Treasurer, pay rolls,	\$ 657 31
Waterville Iron Works, catch basins,	173 76
Proctor & Bowie Co., cement, etc.,	129 72
Horace Purinton & Co., brick,	56 70
John H. Burleigh, surveying,	5 10
B. A. Kimball, repairing tools,	1 34
W. B. Arnold & Co., supplies,	13 55
G. S. Flood & Co., tile,	125 13
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Total amount warrants drawn,	\$1,162 61
Balance undrawn, credited Misc. Acc't,	1,127 83
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	\$2,290 44

TICONIC BRIDGE.

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$ _ 600 00
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Dr.

C. F. Lowe, painting bridge,	\$ 327 00
Maine Central R. R. Co., repairs,	29 27
Wells & Thomas, teaming,	1 40
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Total amount warrants drawn,	\$,357 67
Balance undrawn, credited to Streets,	242 33
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	\$ 600 00

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY OF STREETS AND SEWERS.

Stone in Pit ready for crushing,	300 Tons
Paving Blocks,	1,268
Curbing,	131 feet
Lumber,	3,500 feet
Bricks,	2,000
Stone Crusher,	1
Crusher Building,	1
Sprinkler and Sprinkler House,	1
New Plows,	2
Wheelbarrows,	2
Paving Tamp,	1
Lawn Mowers,	4
Iron Hand Roller,	1
Stone Hand Roller,	1
Gravel Pits,	2
Sweeper,	1
Road Snow Plows,	3
Tool House at Pit,	2
Wheel Scrapers,	2
Set of Bits,	1
Chains,	2

Lanterns,	10
Draw Shave,	1
Crosscut Saw,	1
Hoes,	6
Stone Roller,	1
Grindstone,	1
Striking Hammers,	4
Rakes,	6
Sidewalk Plows,	4
Sidewalk Plows not in use,	4
Dump Carts,	1
Jigger,	1
Edson Pump,	1
Steel Snow Shovels,	45
Walk Scrapers,	5
Picks,	10
Hand Saws,	1
Nail Hammers,	2
Augers,	5
Iron Roller for Horses,	1
Grass Hooks,	3
Road Machines,	2
Sewer Rods, (feet)	300
Dirt Tamps,	2
Long-handle Spade,	1
Grub Hoe,	1
Sewer Hoes,	2
Hose, (feet 3-4 in.),	100
Wrenches,	4
Drill,	13
Hand Drills,	10
Set of Blocks,	2
Round Point Spades,	18
Crowbars,	7
Hand Stone Hammer,	1

Levels,	2
Four-tined Fork,	1
Axes,	2
Oil-cloth Suits,	2
Rope (feet 3-4inches,)	1,000
Office and Fixtures on Front street.	

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